

NEWS BRIEFS



Facing Hunger

The 'recovering' economy sees many families struggle to make ends meet. Read our report on hunger in Wilmington and Tewksbury, how federal benefits may be drying up, and the impacts such action will have on kids, budgets, and homes. P. 14.

School Committee News

New teacher evaluations are coming down the pike, along with policy changes in social media. Further, find out about needed improvements in special education. P. 15



Lace up your shoes!

The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce 8th Annual Half Marathon & 5KRun/Walk starts Sunday at 10, beginning at WCTV, 10 Waltham St. Pre-register at runreg.com. Proceeds benefit scholarships and other charitable endeavors.

Big football win

Missed the game? Not to worry, the Crier has it covered. See Sports, P1.

Town Clean Up

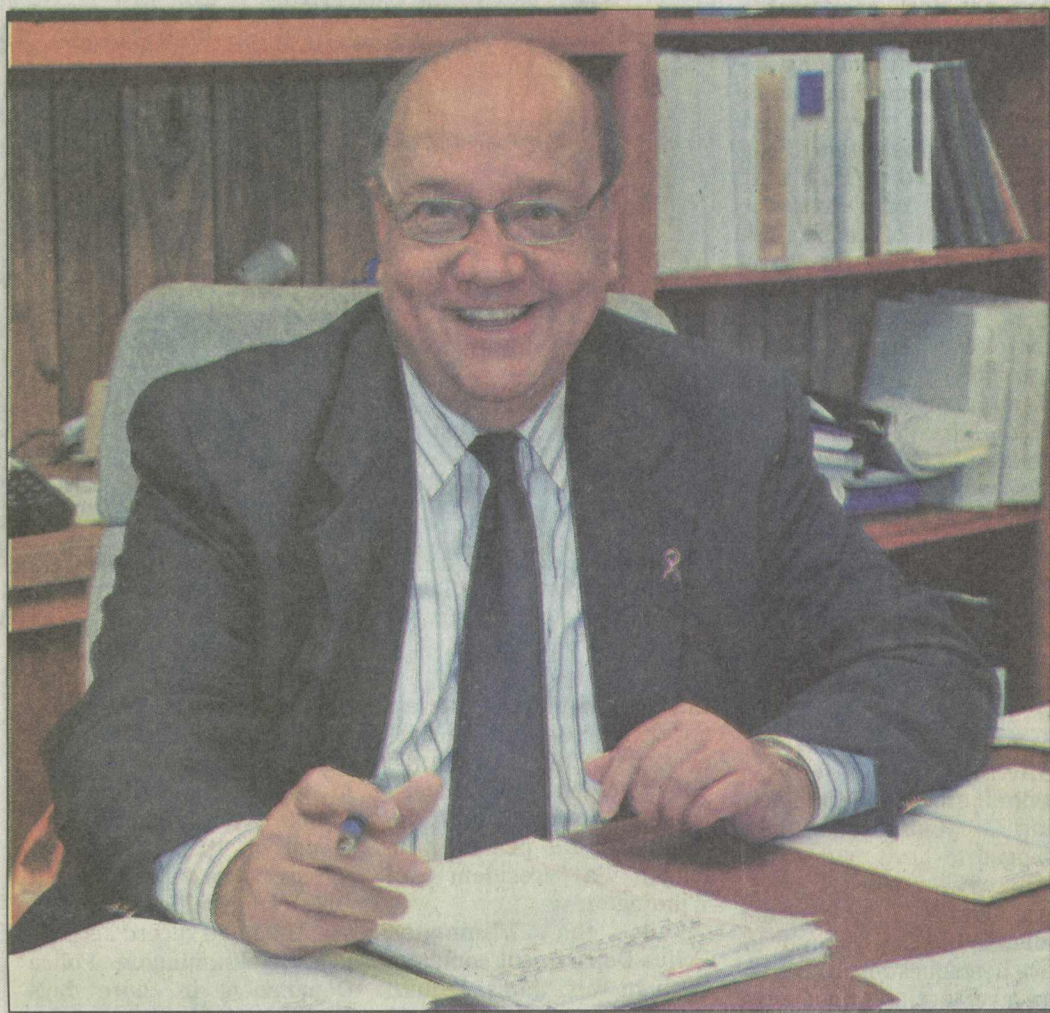
Residents are needed to help clean up town owned parcels of land Saturday. See our calendar for more details. P. 6.

Battle of the Bands

The Wilmington High School Choral and Theater Support (CATS) is hosting a Battle of the Bands in October. For rules and to submit an application for participation, visit the website at: www.wilmingtoncats.org. Deadline for applications is September 30 at 5:00 p.m.

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Caira: On retirement

The secrets to his success and plans for the future

By JAYNE W. MILLER
News Editor

WILMINGTON - After 22 years Town Manager Michael Caira is retiring. His paneled, wedge shaped office is missing the photos that documented highlights from his career and chronicle his family through the years. Town Hall has been his home, in some respects, for 22 years. His desk doesn't have a computer, his conference table is neat. It is a moment of transition.

Looking back, Caira has enjoyed the job.

"I tell people all the time that you need to be in a job that you enjoy getting up for in the morning. When you no longer enjoy going to work, that's the time that you need to look elsewhere. In my case, I enjoy coming to work. If I wanted to keep working, I wouldn't leave here," he told the Crier.

When Caira began his tenure as Town Manager June 4, 1990 (he remembers the exact day), the town was in tough fiscal shape. His goal was to turn the ship around and put the town in a more solid financial position.

"When I got here, we had negative free cash," said Caira in an interview with the Crier. "I can recall weekly meetings with then treasurer Joe Peters, a wonderful guy, and we would talk about what we needed to borrow to make payroll."

Just before he was appointed, the April town meeting passed a budget that appropriated more funds than the town had revenue to cover with the intention of passing a Proposition 2 1/2 override in June. The override failed, so right out of that gate Caira was faced with an \$800,000 deficit.

"At that point the town was like many commu-

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I-93 rollover accident

DHART Helicopter is loaded with the patient from the rollover on Rte 93 in Wilmington.

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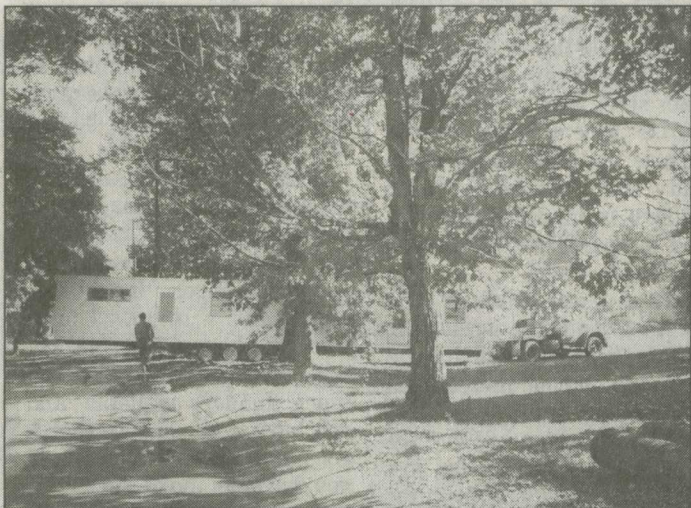
1969 Landers fire being reinvestigated

Arson questioned in deadly blaze

By DAN HALL
Crier Correspondent

WILMINGTON - 43 years ago, a fire swept through the home of the Landers family, leaving catastrophe in its wake. Shortly after 3 a.m. on September 26, 1969, members of the Landers family awoke to find their house afire. Within minutes, Nancy Landers and five of her children were dead.

David Landers later told of the horrible experience that night. The Landers and their eight children lived on Clark Steet, less than a quarter-mile from the Wilmington Fire Station. There were three bedrooms on the second floor, with David and Nancy in one room, three boys in another, and three girls in the third. The two oldest boys had a room in the basement, along with a cousin, Joseph Casey. David Landers later said



Less than two weeks after the Landers fire, a mobile home was moved into the yard at Clark Street for the surviving four members of the Landers family. The fire-damaged house was rebuilt, taking it from two stories to one, with an addition on the right side of the house.

Town Crier file photo

that he and his wife awoke to realize the house was afire. They groped their way into the girls' bedroom, and he managed to find their oldest

daughter, Susan. He broke a window and put her onto a porch roof. The draft from

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MCAS results revealed

Wilmington stays level 2, plans appeal on high school, Shaw Tech commended

By Jayne W. Miller
News Editor

WILMINGTON - The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) this morning released MCAS data for the state, along with new accountability measures devised in light of the flexibility waiver the state earned last year as part of the high standards maintained on the standardized test.

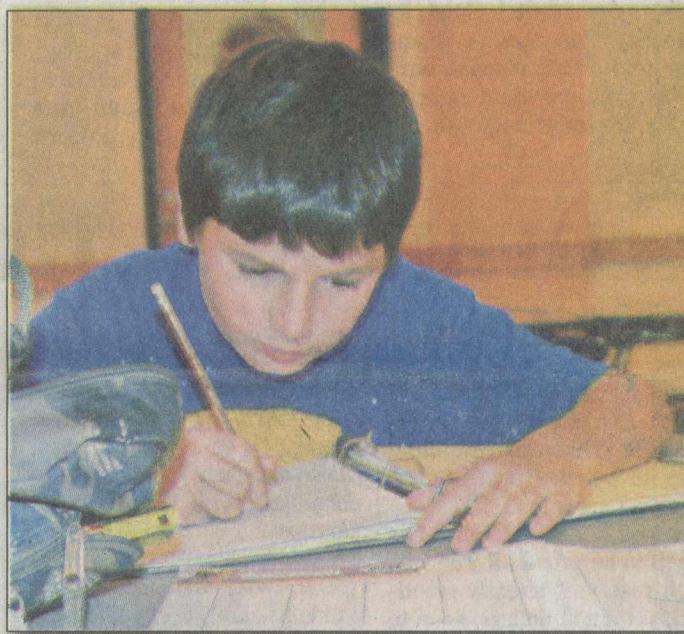
Wilmington Public Schools district remains at level 2 with the Woburn Street School performing at level 1. The five remaining schools performed at level 2, including Shawsheen Elementary, the

North and West Intermediate Schools, Wilmington Middle School, and Wilmington High School.

Shawsheen Valley Regional Technical High School, also a Title 1 school, led the pack statewide this year, earning tremendously high scores and a special commendation from the Education Commissioner for accomplishing high progress and narrowing proficiency gaps.

"We led all public high schools throughout the state when combining the percentage of students scoring proficient and advanced and student percentile growth. Over

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Getting it done

Joshua Williams was studying at Wilmington Middle School after school on Tuesday.

photo by Maureen Lamoureux-www.shootingstarspix.com

Rollover on 93

By JAYNE W. MILLER
News Editor

WILMINGTON - A rollover accident on I-93 north Saturday afternoon snarled traffic while emergency personnel worked to free an elderly woman trapped in her rolled-over vehicle.

A 79-year-old woman from Merrimac, MA was seriously injured in the single car accident at Exit 41 Saturday. The

accident occurred at approximately 4:15 pm. The car was traveling north on I-93 and lost control on the off ramp to Route 125, with the vehicle, a 2011 Subaru Impreza, coming to rest in the grassy area between ramps.

Wilmington Fire/Rescue responded to the scene along with Wilmington Police and Massachusetts State Police.

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Community starts here

Fair the perfect way to spend Saturday

By DAN HALL
Crier Correspondent

WILMINGTON - The third annual Library Community Fair will be held on September 22nd, from 10-1 on the Swain Green. The fair aims to bring together a variety of organizations from the community and make Wilmington residents aware of the services they offer. Many of these organizations are non-profits and community organizations, such as the Friends of the Wilmington Memorial Library, the Wilmington Arts Council, and the Wilmington Sons of Italy. The slogan of the fair is appropriate. "Community starts here."

Many interesting and free activities are planned for fair

goers. Face painting, a magician, story time and henna temporary tattooing will all be activities at the fair, as well as bulk shredding. The shredding allows people to bring huge amounts of paper items to be disposed of in one location, and has been an extremely popular activity at past community fairs.

Subsequently, a Town of Wilmington information table will be present at the fair. Information concerning public departments, such as the Recreation Department, the Health Department, the Department of Public Works and Elderly Services will be made available for fair goers to peruse and educate themselves.

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Fed-Ex foils pot plot

By JON BISHOP
Crier Correspondent

LOWELL—Chhon Kang was arrested September 11 at about 2:52 p.m. after a suspicious package was discovered by Fed-Ex. He is charged with possession of a Class D substance with the intent to distribute within 300 feet of a school. The arrest took place at 465 Wilder Street in Lowell.

Wilmington Police did not undertake this case. According to sources the Lowell Police Department led the investigation. It was reportedly under the direction of their Vice division.

According to Stephanie Guyotte of the Middlesex District Attorney Press Office, Fed-Ex of Wilmington received a suspicious package and alerted police. They discovered that it contained five, vacuum-sealed bags of marijuana.

An undercover officer, after obtaining a search warrant, delivered the package to Kang, who was then arrested.

Kang was arraigned at Lowell District Court on September 12. Judge Elizabeth Cremens oversaw the case. The prosecution was Assistant District Attorney Joe Galvin. Kang was held on \$1,000 cash bail.

The pre-trial date is currently set for October 18.

Arson questioned in deadly blaze

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that broken window, though, allowed the fire to intensify and he was unable to reach anyone else.

Nancy perished in the bedroom, along with her two daughters, Lisa, 7, and KC, age four. Three boys in the other second-floor bedroom also died. They were Davey, 13, Billy, 12 and Kevin, 9.

The two oldest boys, Harry and Michael, shared a room in the basement. A cousin, Joseph Casey, was in another room. They all managed to escape.

The blaze left nothing but unanswered questions, the charred remains of their home and an all-consuming grief in their hearts. Now, members of the Landers family are re-examining the tragedy, and questioning the initial decision on its origins. Was the house fire an electrical accident, as first thought, or an act of arson?

Janis Jaquith has reason to believe the latter. Janis is the wife of Harry Landers, the oldest child of David and Nancy Landers, and is a graduate of Wilmington High School, class of 1970. The 3 AM fire that blazed through the Landers home on September 26th would remain with her and her family forever. However, certain elements of the fire did not sit right in the mind of Janis Jaquith and surviving members of the Landers family.

The fire was labeled an electrical fire at the time. However, a sizable amount of evidence and information has emerged that undermines that determination. For instance, the fire was shown to have had two points of origin. Electrical fires generally have one point or origin. The pattern

of destruction in the Landers home is not one that is normal for house fires. Typical house fires consume everything in their path, whereas arson, usually the result of some sort of logic, have specific and unnatural targets. Such was the case of the Landers family home, with charred remains of certain objects existing next to other objects that made it through the inferno virtually unscathed.

While he stated that he does not feel comfortable making any definitive claims about arson, as he has not trained in arson detection, retired Wilmington Detective Chris Neville told the Crier that the Landers case does not seem typical of house fires he has seen in the past. Neville stated that the typical house fire leaves homes "completely charred, house to ground, chimney sticking up" and that you "Don't see a lot of heavy charring in one area." The fact that the house was still standing, and the unusual charring within the house, seems to indicate that the tragedy might not be an electrical fire. Jaquith interviewed several fire professionals during her 2011 investigation and they stated that the fire, "May very well not be electrical."

After the fire, there were rumors around Wilmington that a young man had bragged to have caused the blaze. These whispers continued for a while, and this individual was rumored to have been questioned, but no punitive action was ever taken against this individual. As the evidence concerning the case has been re-examined, the Wilmington Police Department has stated that



The living room of the Landers home shows the extent of the damage to the home from the fire of Sept. 26, 1969. Mrs. Nancy Landers and five of her children died in the fire.

Town Crier file photo

there is a person of interest under investigation in connection to the fire, but did not give that individual's name. However, they did state that this person is no longer a resident of Wilmington.

While the Wilmington Police Department could not confirm this, Janis Jaquith related some other unusual circumstances. After the fire, the Landers family resided in a trailer. Jaquith stated that there was an attempt to burn the trailer down, and that David

Landers had run outside to extinguish the flames on burning newspapers soaked in gasoline. Wilmington Police have stated that this is not on their records as having occurred, but Detective Neville stated that the filing and record keeping for the Wilmington Police Department in those days were unreliable and that the attempt on the trailer cannot be ruled out simply because it is not recorded.

Additionally, during August of 1968, the Landers family home was broken into while

they were away on vacation. A handgun was stolen. The police were brought in, but no arrests were made.

Wilmington residents who were in town in 1969 with memories or information of the fire, attempted trailer fire, burglary, or anything usual surrounding these acts, are urged to contact the family at LandersTips@gmail.com, or contact the Wilmington Police Department at 978-658-7988 x246.

Larz Neilson contributed to

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nities, spending free cash not putting it away. We wanted to begin changing the way we did business. That was my initial goal, to put the town in good financial order."

Two decades later, Caira has much to be proud of. The free cash reserve currently stands at \$9.5 million dollars, soon to be over \$10 million once the Department of Revenue certifies the account. The town has a stellar AA+ bond rating, better than the federal government's rating, enabling the town to borrow for major capital projects like the high school at some of the lowest rates in the nation. Through that strong management comes the more tangible successes that Caira cites as achievements: offering quality services to the town without reverting to layoffs and with-

out the "imposition of onerous fees."

His older kids had to pay to play sports and residents had to pay to go to Silver Lake; those experiences led Caira to formulate goals. Today, no student pays a fee to play a sport, residents have free access to Silver Lake, and Kindergarten students can go to full-day K for free when neighboring towns have parents, paying \$5,000 a year.

Other accomplishments are attitudinal.

"It was changing the mindset within government and coming in with a more centralized approach to things," explained Caira, referencing the culture statewide that pits town and school departments against each other for the dollar. "We don't see that anymore. We worked hard to gain the trust of everyone, including department heads. That's why it's so important to work together and not compete in a public fashion, so that everyone can share and everyone can determine priorities."

A hallmark of his years in Wilmington includes a deep dedication to education.

"The emphasis on the schools has been very, very important to me," said Caira, who expressed appreciation for the School Department's invitations to readings, meetings, and the creation of the Kindergarten Town Meeting program.

During his career, Caira also built a new middle school, passed measures to build a new high school, and continually invests in the school buildings to maintain the properties.

Caira also worked to build a new Public Safety Building, putting the police and fire departments under the same roof, a move considered innovation by neighboring towns, but not a decision made lightly.

"It's not easy [to combine these departments]. You are dealing with two cultures, police and fire," said Caira. But combining departments in effect became a cornerstone of his management style, beginning with bringing the water and sewer departments into the Department of Public Works and putting Planning and Conservation together. He also elevated the Senior Citizen program to department level status and worked to put an emphasis on outreach programs.

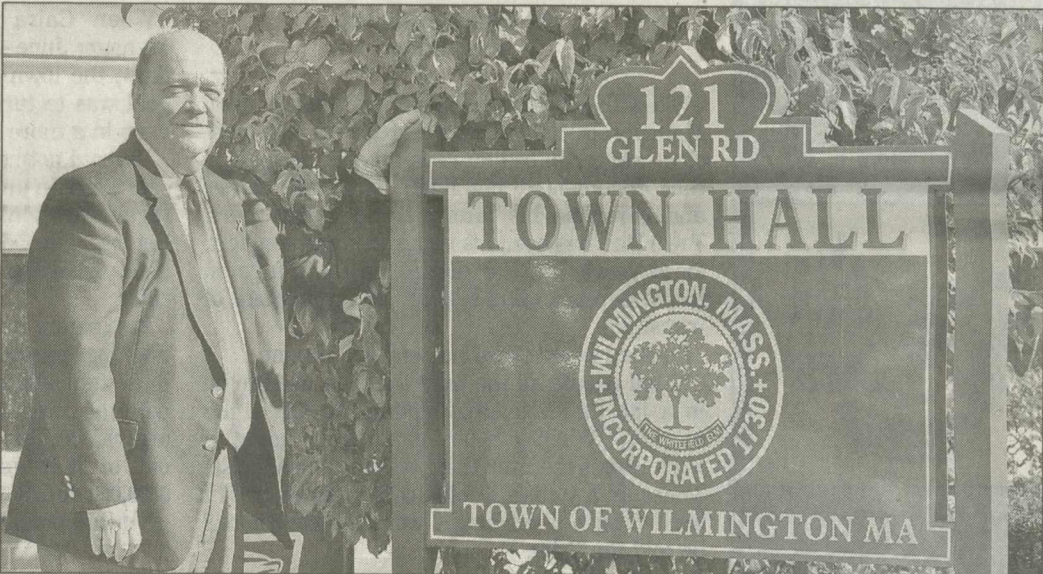
Another major accomplishment was securing the town's water situation following the damage caused after the Olin and Maple Meadow Brook disasters. The town built all the pipelines to the MWRA with \$4 million in private funds to create a back-up supply of potable water with "the quality and quantity that citizens are entitled to."

"In spite of the all the predictions, we have not raised water rates since 2008," said Caira.

Other recent improvements include the high school feasibility study, funded by \$1.125 million from cash reserves, and the purchase this year of the Yentile Farm.

"It's a great piece of real estate. Eventually, it will take a little time, we will have a first rate outdoor recreational facility that's family oriented," said Caira, who noted that the purchase was made for just \$1,182,500, and again from the cash reserves. "When you look back at the fact that that land sold for \$3.7 million and we got it for less than \$1.2 million, and the asking price from the bank was \$5 million, well, we did ok."

When it comes to challenges, Caira is clear that the pollution troubles from Olin and Maple Meadow Brook were inherited and involve long-



Mike Caira stands next to the Town Hall sign, a place where he has likely spent more time than his own home over the last twenty two years. Caira retires at the end of this month.

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ranges processes to sort out.

"In terms of Olin...its really too large for the town, or even the state, to handle and we recommended that it become a Superfund site," said Caira. "It's hard to ask people to be patient, but the main goal there was to make sure that we have an appropriate reserve of water and that's why we entered into an agreement that eventually got us into the MWRA. We handled the short-term problem and the problem going forward and we have to make sure that there's appropriate mitigation for what the town suffered as a result of Olin."

Likewise, when a debt-exemption override for a new library failed in 2005, leaders worked to make over the building and the programming at the existing library in keeping with the philosophy of "doing more with less."

Ultimately, the biggest challenge with a management position, says Caira, is allocating limited resources among competing needs. "It probably sounds like a borrowed term from an old management lecture, but you only have so much money available and you have to make sure that it goes in the right direction and you have to make sure it is managed appropriately."

Part of that management is determining the balance of growth between residential, commercial/industrial and business ventures. Over the years the town lacked a vibrant residential/retail base, so the strategic investment in sewer along Route 38 helped revitalize the area now known as Market Basket Plaza and

Wilmington Crossing.

Caira created a vehicle for growth by having a community development team that meets when developers come into town. "Instead of going to every department, you come to a meeting room and all the departments come to you."

That format has energized investment in town, keeping the lines of communication open, and ensuring compliance among a number of departments and, within regulations, with minimum red tape.

Caira has also worked to improve the capital stock of the town, including windows and doors at schools and equipping the Fire Department with a new aerial truck, a pumper, and a new rapid response vehicle.

Ultimately, though, people drive success and Caira counts himself fortunate to work with so many talented people. During his tenure he has appointed an estimated 400 to 500 people and, of the regular staff, he has appointed roughly 200 people in his 22 years. He praised the performance of staff across town departments, highlighting the work on roadways and public buildings.

So what advice would Caira offer?

"By and large, my dad said to me once, every decision you make needs to be made in the best interest of the organization you are working for. He was essentially saying to me 'do what is right for the greater good' and that's what I've tried to do. I've tried to make decisions that are in the best interest of the Town of

Wilmington and that's the advice that I pass onto anybody. It's easy to make a decision in your best interest but it's better to make a decision in the community's best interest. That's true in any responsibility."

As for his plans for the future, for now Caira wants unscheduled time with his family, including his five grandchildren and his wife of nearly 40 years, Jane, who also recently retired from the Wilmington School Department. He would like to travel and eventually volunteer and stay involved in the town.

He plans to be available to his successor, Jeff Hull, the current Assistant Town Manager, as well as the Board of Selectmen as a resource, if needed. Hull will take over October 1.

"I think that the community will be well served by my successor. He is the right guy for the job, there is no question in my mind; he will be an asset to the town in this position, just as he has for the last twenty-five years as the Assistant Town Manager."

Caira expressed his appreciation for the kind words offered by many over recent months and the hard work of the staff.

"Nothing is accomplished alone," said Caira, referring to town employees and the tremendous cadre of volunteers that help across the community. "This is a family oriented town where people truly want to help their neighbor, that's what makes it a special place. It's been a privilege to be a small part of that."

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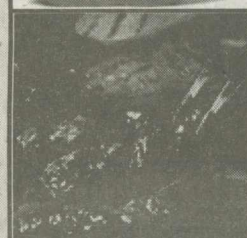
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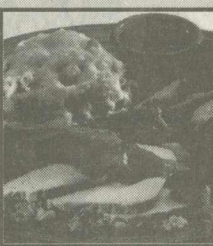
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Letters to the editor

Finegold cuts red tape

Dear Editor,
When I ran into a mess of bureaucracy while trying to re-register for my nursing boards, I had no other choice and desperately needed help, so I contacted my State Senator, Barry Finegold. He and his staff were respectful, knowledgeable and responsive to all of my questions and concerns and took a common sense approach to help solve my problem. Barry himself went above and beyond to cut the red tape in which he cleared up my case with the Massachusetts Board of Registered Nurses in a few short days. As a busy moth-

er, I don't have time to be on the phone with dozens of people to figure out a simple issue. Barry Finegold exemplified that he wants and does stand up for his constituents' needs. I've found that no person's problem is too small for Barry, a perfect example of feeling like an individual and not just a number. He will have my endless support and I hope you too will consider voting for him on November 6.

Nicole Bjorkgren
Tewksbury

Ledges of Woburn update

To the editor,
To gain a better understanding of the proposed location for the Woburn Ledges 40B project, a site visit was conducted at 1042 Main Street on the afternoon of Tuesday, September 11 by the Board of Appeals (BOA).

The BOA, petitioners, lawyers and residents were present. Woburn Public Media Center filmed the event and is now being played on your local cable TV station.

Following the site visit, the Board of Appeals reconvened in the Woburn City Hall Council Chambers to conduct the monthly 40B meeting. Highlights of the meeting included final comments from both the petitioners and residents after which the public hearing process closed with no final vote taken. Deliberations will continue at the next meeting scheduled for Thursday, September 20 at 7:00 p.m.

As an alderman, my responsibility to my constituents on any proposed project is to review and listen to both the petitioner and to the residents so that I can make an informed decision whether or not to approve or reject a project. Early in the review process of the proposed Ledges project, I realized unlike any other proposal that I have reviewed that this project would cause serious harm to the health, safety and welfare for the residents and neighborhoods that surround this project including Burlington and Wilmington.. Try and imagine a project of this magnitude in your neighborhood surrounded by homes, two elementary schools, day care center, elderly housing and recreational facilities.

The Ledges proposal is a modification to the original 40B permit that was approved by Court Order in 2006. The modification substantially changes the origi-

nal project. The differences include; an additional year of blasting (5 days a week), earth and stone removal (418,000cy) and increased truck traffic (32,000 truck trips).

Another concern that will affect surrounding residents is the storm water runoff from the project. During a normal rain event the 1042 Main Street location could have as much as 8" of water in front of a poorly designed State drainage system. In a letter dated September 11, 2012 the city of Woburn's engineering plan reviewer is still not convinced that under certain conditions the Ledges project will not add to this problem.

On Friday, September 28, I will be attending a Chapter 40B Conference in Randolph on the past, present, future and most up-to-date information in the latest developments in the Affordable Housing Law.

I want to thank all of you who were able to attend the site visit and Public Hearing as well as those who watched from your homes. Also, I would like to thank former Mayor McLaughlin, Alderman Gately, Alderman Ditucci, Alderman-at-large Haggerty, State Representative Jim Dwyer and Senator Ken Donnelly for their continued support in speaking at these meetings on behalf of residents not only from North Woburn but for our city as a whole.

The next scheduled BOA meeting for the Ledges project will take place on Thursday, September 20, 2012. Although we will not be able to speak at this meeting our presence will send a clear message to the BOA that we are not in favor of this project.

If you have any questions regarding this subject please contact me @wardalderman6@yahoo.com or 781-935-2438

Sincerely,
Alderman Mike Raymond,
North Woburn



Let's talk about hearing

by Loleata Wigall

Am I deaf or just hard of hearing?



Hearing loss is hard to define. Hearing loss comes in all sizes and shapes. No two people have the same hearing loss. Hearing loss affects each person differently. There are patterns of hearing loss and types of hearing loss. But, the bottom line is each person with a hearing problem has individual needs and wants.

As an audiologist it is the fun part of my job to put the puzzle together to give each person the best hearing possible for their lifestyle and needs. Hearing loss affects the family members and friends, so it is not just an individual's challenge. There are many people who "accuse" their loved one of being "deaf". I realize it means they are not hearing or not listening, but I prefer the term "hard of hearing".

Diagnosing hearing loss can only be done by completing an audiological evaluation. Since there are degrees of hearing loss, the person may hear low frequency sounds such as motor noises and voices but not be able to understand what is being said. The person

with the hearing loss may judge that others are "mumbling" and not talking clearly. These are all signs of a possible hearing loss.

The first general term for hearing loss is hard of hearing which means a person uses their residual hearing to hear speech and environmental sounds. A person who is hard of hearing can usually function in a quiet room with one person talking. However, in a noisy environment or at a meeting, the person may have trouble following the conversation.

The next term for hearing loss is deaf. Deaf usually describes a person who has a severe to profound sensori-neural hearing loss in both ears. This means that the person can just barely hear when someone is shouting at them. It also means that environmental sounds, such as a doorbell or telephone, will not be heard. A person who is deaf usually relies on visual cues to hear and follow a conversation, even when they are wearing hearing aids.

Guest Op-Ed

What is wrong with this picture?

USPS picks winners and losers

An editorial from the National Newspaper Association

The newspaper business—both small and large papers—has sounded full-throated opposition this past month about a plan by the U.S. Postal Service to purposely entice advertising out of the newspaper so ads can be placed instead with USPS favored stakeholder Valassis Inc., which bought direct mail company ADVO in 2006.

The goal of USPS is to create more advertising mail. To newspapers that count on advertising to pay its reporters and cover the news, this new venture is beyond alarming. Many think it will push some newspapers—already made fragile by the economy and the Internet—over the edge. If that happens, it is the communities across our country that will feel the most long-term harm.

People have a love-hate relationship with advertising, whether in the newspaper or in the mail. When advertising helps them find deals or shop smartly, they love it. When it doesn't happen to scratch the shopping itch, they may not like it so much. But most people understand advertising drives the economy and it brings other intangible benefits, like the paying the bill for news coverage that keeps communities informed.

On every level advertising is highly competitive. Local, regional and nationally, newspapers compete with a growing field of ad media, from Internet to television and door hangers to direct mailers.

But now the Postal Service wants to pick winners and losers in this market. It is providing postage rebates to Valassis of more than 30 percent if Valassis can divert more ad inserts into direct mail from newspapers.

Not everyone can play. The discounts can be offered by Valassis only to large national retailers. Newspapers cannot get the same discount for their own mail because they can't sign one national postage contract, as the direct mail company did, with USPS. Neither can a small clothing or bookstore or a hairdresser or auto parts shop. We—the newspaper and our small businesses—are all local. This deal is only for the big guys.

For the little guys, USPS has another advertising plan that enables businesses to bring unaddressed advertising directly to the post office.

What's wrong with this picture? It is that USPS isn't a

business. It is owned by Uncle Sam. It exists to serve all. It shouldn't be picking winners and losers in any marketplace. It shouldn't be competing with and undercutting its stakeholders, which are all of us. It should deliver the mail that exists, promptly and affordably.

One of USPS's big goals is to carry even more advertising, as the Internet saps away letters and bills.

But we have to ask ourselves: does America need a federally-owned advertising service? We say no.

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Wilmington Library Notes

by Christina Stewart

Road to the White House Series

Event Registration

Registration begins 30 days prior to the event. Please register online using our Calendar of Events at www.wilmmlibrary.org or by calling (978) 694-2099 (for Adult) or (978) 694-2098 (for Children/Teen). Please note events that require registration are marked (RR).

Cast your Penny Vote

The presidential campaign is heating up. Stop by the library during the month of Oct. to cast your penny vote for your favorite candidate. All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Library.

JFK Experience with Mike Lowe (RR)

Thursday, Oct. 4, 7pm
JFK Experience is a live, multimedia theatrical event focused on the life and presidency of John F. Kennedy. The show features Kennedy historian and expert Mike Lowe, who delivers JFK speeches verbatim, answers questions from the audience and hosts an event that includes an historic slideshow, audio narrations, and more.

Protecting the U. S. President (RR)

Thursday, Oct. 11, 7pm
Jim McNally, former Wilmington resident, was a Secret Service agent under President George H.W. Bush. Find out how Jim became an agent and hear the inside scoop from someone who has been on the front lines protecting the President of the United States.

Meet John Adams: A Lively and Revolutionary Conversation with America's Second President 1797-1801

Monday, Oct. 15, 7pm
Portrayed by George Baker, the historical figure of John Adams will talk about his life and times in a humorous and inspiring performance. Take this opportunity to hear from one of America's founding fathers. Funded by Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Foundation.

The Electoral College—

where's the love?

Tuesday, Oct. 23, 7pm
Michelle Tassinari, Director Massachusetts Elections Division, will speak about the history, the importance, and the possible changes to the Electoral College.

Birds and Blooms (RR)

Thursday, Sept. 27, 7 pm
Gerry Duggan, Town Crier columnist of Birds and Blooms, will talk about how to attract backyard birds with food and flowers and how to identify certain species and their nests, and point out migration patterns.

Laugh Yourself Healthy (RR)

Monday, Oct. 1, 1 pm
Need a good laugh? Presenter George Mullen has been a student of laughter therapy for over a decade and has presented his laughter therapy program all around the greater Boston area. A good laugh reduces stress, quiets pain, and brings on as sense of relaxation. Come learn and enjoy!

Teen Zone News Crafty Teens: CD Clocks (RR)

Friday, Sept. 21, 3 pm
The CD format is a relic—so we're using the CDs to mark how much time has passed. Decorate the face in any way you want; we'll provide the discs and hardware to turn them into working clocks with your own personal flair.

College Planning: The Financial Aid Process (RR)

Tuesday, Sept. 25, 7 pm
This workshop will address the financial aid process, necessary paperwork, and strategies for paying for college. Presenter James Femia is a Certified College Planning Specialist with the National Institute of Certified College Planners. Parents are welcome to attend.

An Introduction to the College Admissions Essay (RR)

Tuesday, Oct. 2, 7 pm

Former Brown University admissions officer Bill Caskey returns to the Wilmington Memorial Library to talk to college-bound students and parents about the all-important admissions essay and provide tips to increase your chances of acceptance to your choice schools. This seminar is open to all high school students, but will be particularly useful to juniors and seniors. Parents are welcome to attend.

Scratch Basics for Teens (RR)

Fridays, Oct. 12 & 19, 3 pm
Scratch, MIT's creation tool and programming language, makes it easy to collaborate with friends or work independently to create games, music, video, and more, even if you've never even seen a line of code. Find out how in our hands-on, 2-part workshop, and view sample projects at <http://scratch.mit.edu/>.

Children's Events

Book Discussion for Ages 7 + (RR)

Monday, Sept. 24, 3:45 pm
Join us for a discussion of I Survived the Sinking of the Titanic, 1912 by Lauren Tarshis. Reserve a copy online or stop by the library to get your copy.

Book Discussion for Ages 9+ (RR)

Friday, Sept. 28, 3:45 pm
Join us for a discussion of The Magic Thief by Sarah Prineas. Reserve a copy online or stop by the library to get your copy.

LEGO Building (RR)

Thursday, Oct. 4, 3:45 pm
Use your imagination to build a unique LEGO creation, then try sending it down the zipline! Ages 5+

Family Storytimes (DI)

Saturday, Oct. 13, 10 am
Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and more! Ages: 2-6 and one or more adults.

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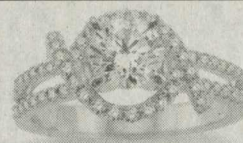
Library News

Katie Huffman

Katie Huffman, Reference and Adult Services Librarian, who has been at the Wilmington Memorial Library since 2008, has accepted the position of Library Director at Carlisle Public Library. Katie has done great work at WML and will be missed by staff and patrons. Katie's last day at WML is Friday, Sept. 28. Please stop by and wish her well prior to her leaving for her new position in Carlisle.

Community Fair

The library will host its 3rd annual Community Fair on Saturday, Sept. 22 on the Swain Green from 10 am to 1 pm. Over 30 non-organizations will be on hand to talk with residents about services and volunteer opportunities. Town Manager Michael Caira and Assistant Manager Jeff Hull will be at the Town of Wilmington information table from 10:30 am to 12 noon giving residents the opportunity to wish Mr. Caira well in his retirement and meet Mr. Hull, Wilmington's newly appointed Town Manager. For a complete list of Community Fair activities, please pick up a brochure at the library or check www.wilmmlibrary.org. Please note that in case of rain, the Fair will be cancelled. However, the shredding truck will be on site rain or shine.



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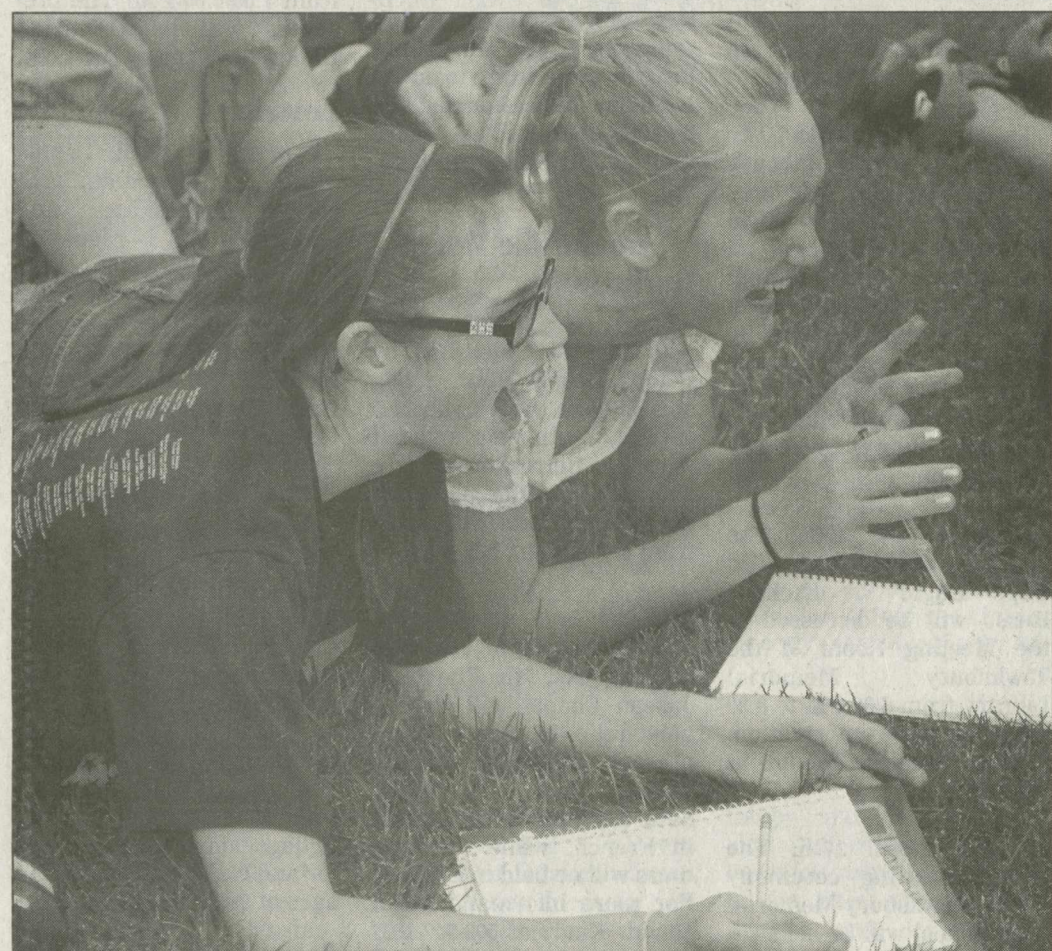
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Who knew world history could be so much fun?

Micayla Trodden and Erin Rieo of Wilmington enjoyed an outdoor after-school history lesson with Middle School teacher Dana Robinson Tuesday afternoon to review for an upcoming test.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux-www.shootingstarspix.com

Destination ImagiNation "Fall Kick off!"

WILMINGTON - Wilmington Destination ImagiNation will be holding a "Fall Kick Off!" night on Wednesday, September 26 from 7 - 8 p.m. in the Wilmington Middle School cafeteria. Students from any Wilmington school will be able to try out the program, and parents and students will learn more about how the program operates.

The number of teams participating in Wilmington Destination ImagiNation has tripled in the past two years making Wilmington the second largest affiliate in the Triton Regional District.

Destination ImagiNation is an international non-profit organization that focuses on educational after school programming for kids from

kindergarten through college. During each school year, teams of two to seven students learn how to solve both Central Challenges and Instant Challenges. These types of challenges teach kids creativity, problem-solving, leadership, teamwork, and time management.

The program runs from September to March. In March, students will display their solutions at a Regional Tournament with the chance to advance to State and Global Finals. Last spring, the Wilmington Middle School improvisational team placed 18 out of more than seventy teams at Global Finals in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Come join us and let your imagination soar! For more information, email Dawn DiCicco and Allison Collins at wilmingtondi@gmail.com.

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Fall 2012

Meditation Class

September 24, October 1 or 8, 6:00-8:00pm, \$40

Expand and cultivate your innerworld and nourish your body, mind, and spirit through the means of meditation and group experience. Explore different styles of meditation techniques (breath, focused awareness, walking meditation, chanting, and heart-centered Metta meditation), and reconnect with the teacher within us.

Turbo Kick®

**Tuesdays, September 25-October 23,
6:30-7:30pm, \$45**

This class is a combination of kickboxing and dance to high energy music. It's the ultimate cardiovascular challenge that's a unique blend of intervals of strength/endurance training and a relaxing cool-down.

Potty Training Without Pressure

October 4, 7:00-8:30pm, FREE

Most parents struggle with when or how to potty train their child. This workshop will help parents identify the real goals of potty training, how to know if a child is ready and will demonstrate four primary potty training methods.

Meet the Providers

Wednesday, October 17, 5:30-7:00pm, FREE

Are you pregnant or thinking about becoming pregnant? Meet local obstetricians, midwives, pediatricians, family practitioners, childbirth educators, lactation consultants, Birthplace nurses and more. We will also have tours of our new labor and delivery unit, light appetizers, giveaways and raffles including a \$300 Babies "R" Us gift card.

Fall Festival & Family Safety Fair

October 27, 11:00am-2:00pm, FREE

Join us for our annual Fall Festival and Safety Fair. Children can earn stamps on a "passport to health" as they learn about the different parts of the body while participating in fall-themed activities and games. Healthy snacks and Halloween safety bags provided.

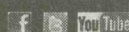
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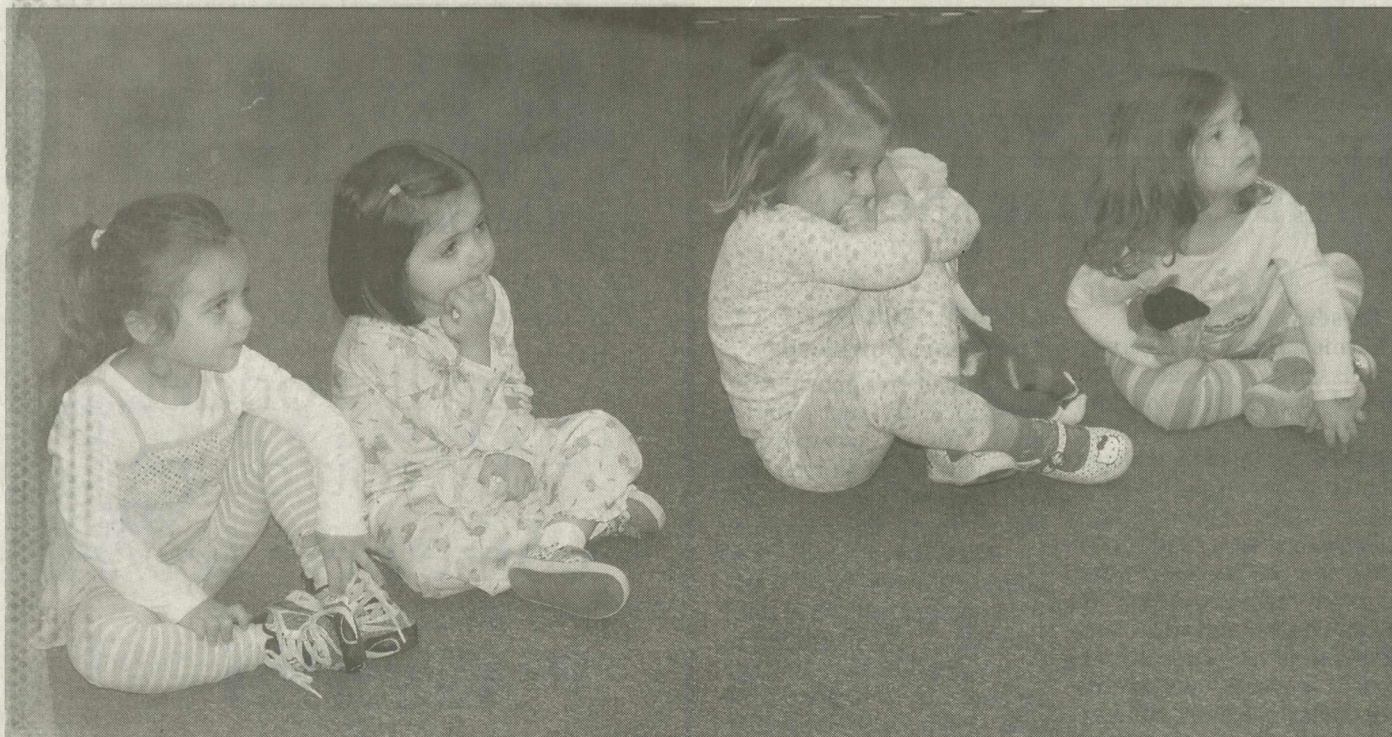
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Verona Mangano, Caroline Donovan, and Eleanor and Vivian Ragsdale enjoyed P.J. Storytime at the Wilmington Memorial Library on Monday evening.

(photo by Maureen Lamoureux-www.shootingstarspix.com)



Let's Hear it!!

Your Two Cents...

Sidewalks needed



Bring back the sidewalk committee! Its high time that Tewksbury have decent sidewalks and make walking safer for our kids and elders. Students should be able to walk to schools, shops, and playing fields without danger of being run over by a truck. And drivers should not have to worry about hitting a teenager walking home at night wearing all black. Do the right thing, build sidewalks.

Want your opinion heard?

Send your Two Cents to:

twocents@YourTownCrier.com

All submissions must be accompanied by contact information for verification purposes.

Submissions exceeding 200 words will not be considered for publication.

All submissions chosen for publication will be done so anonymously.

Letter to the editor

Thanks from Pantry

Dear Tewksbury Lions' Club
On behalf of the Tewksbury Community Food Pantry Board of Directors, I would like to express our appreciation to the Tewksbury Lions Club for their most recent \$5000.00 donation. This generous donation came at a critical time. It helped support many individuals & families that currently rely on our food pantry. Thanks to you, we were able to assist almost 250 households with non perishable goods through the summer months when canned donations are typically low.

Over the past eleven years, the Lions have now quietly donated over \$45,000 to our vol-

unteer community effort, without fanfare. Without the reliable & consistent support from the Tewksbury Lions, the pantry would not be able to meet the monthly food supply needs of those we serve. The pantry is pleased to consider the Tewksbury Lions' Club an honored partner in our ongoing effort to assist those less fortunate in Tewksbury, and we are most grateful for your most recent donation during these challenging economic times.

Sincerely,
Patty Haversat, Director
Tewksbury Community Food Pantry

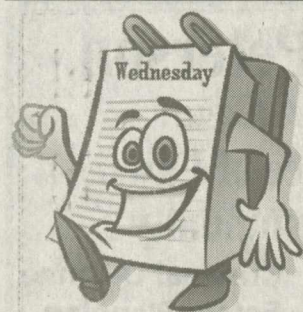
Correction

In last week's Wilmington edition the Crier incorrectly identified Marine Corp veteran Frank Downs as a combat veteran. Downs is a Marine Corp veteran, but he did not serve in combat.

The Town Crier regrets the error and we thank all our veterans for their service to our nation.

Got News?

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with your tips,
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around town.



Community Calendar

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Wilmington

Friday, Sept. 21st: The Wilmington Memorial Library will be holding a "Crafty Teens" session, where teens can create and decorate their own CD Clock to represent how much time has passed. The library will provide the discs and hardware required to create working clocks. Registration can be accomplished online or by calling the library at 978-694-2098.

Friday, Sept. 21st: The Brown Street Bridge will be reopening a month ahead of schedule, on the 21st at 11:00 AM.

Saturday, Sept. 22nd: The Wilmington Band Parents will be having a mattress sale fundraiser at the Saint Thomas Church, across from the Wilmington High School, from 10 AM to 5 PM. All standard mattress sizes will be available, as well as name brands, factory warranties, and types. For more information, contact the Band Parents president at 978-815-9410.

Saturday, Sept. 22th: The Wilmington Annual Town Clean-Up Day is set for 8 AM to 1 PM, the rain date being Saturday, Sept. 29. The Clean Up Day is open to all of Wilmington's residents, regardless of age, and the Wilmington Conservation Commission is looking for volunteers to help make Wilmington more beautiful. Volunteers should head to the DPW building on 135 Andover Street at 8 AM. Work gloves and trash bags will be given on a first come first served basis, and any volunteer that owns hip boots should be sure to bring them. For more information, be sure to contact the Planning and Conservation Department at: 978-658-8238.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd: The 8th Annual Wilmington Half Marathon and 5K Run/Walk will be starting registration for the races at 8:15 AM on Sunday, with online pre-registration ending at 12 PM on Thurs. The races all begin at

10:10 AM. Enjoy festivities at the event including a DJ, hot dogs, ice cream, a bouncy house, a Speed Stair challenge, and more. For more information, contact the Chamber at 978-657-7211. Bring the whole family for a day of running, walking, and fun!

Friday, Sept. 28th: The Suburban Boston Fall Home Show will be at the Shriner's Auditorium, on 99 Fordham Road from 11 AM to 10 PM. Home owners can pick up tips on home renovations and improvement there, and gain a better understanding of the process as well. More information can be found at: www.acshomeshow.com/

Friday, Sept. 28th: The Wilmington Memorial Library invites any 9 and up reader to participate in a book discussion at 3:45 PM on "The Magic Thief" by Sarah Prineas. Copies of the book are available on the kids checkout desk.

Monday, Oct. 1st: George Mullen, a student of laughter therapy and veteran presenter will have a presentation on the health benefits of laughing at the Wilmington Memorial Library. Join for a day of laughing for your health! Registration begins Sept. 1st, and can be accomplished online or by calling the library at: 978-658-2967

Thurs., Oct. 4th: The Wilmington Memorial Library will have Mike Lowe presenting "JFK Experience", a live theatrical show focusing on the life and presidency of John F. Kennedy. The show features JFK historian Mike Lowe who delivers some of the president's speeches, answers questions from the audience, and hosts a historic slideshow, audio narrations, and more. Registration begins Sept. 4th, and those interested should apply online or call 978-658-2967.

Friday, Oct. 5th: The Wilmington Sons of Italy, in

cooperation with the Italian Heritage Committee will be hosting it's Third Annual Italian Heritage Month Golf Classic, a golf tournament at the Merrimack Country Club in Methuen, MA. Four-golfer teams can participate in 18 holes at a donation of \$125, and if you would like to show support for the event, a \$100 contribution would recognize you as a sponsor of a Tee Box or Hole, recognized at many areas of the green prominently displayed. \$50 would ensure sponsorship of a golf cart. Contests and raffles will also be present at the tournament, and additional luncheon tickets can be acquired for 30\$. For more information, contact Kevin Cairat at: 978-657-7734.

Fri., Oct. 12 & Fri., Oct. 19: Head down to the Wilmington Memorial Library at 3:00 PM to learn Scratch, MIT's programming language and creation tool, so you can collaborate on or work independently on videos, games, and more. Even if you have never seen code before, you can learn Scratch as well as anyone else. Participants are expected to attend both sessions.

Tewksbury

Thurs., Sept. 20th: The North Street Elementary School, on 133 North Street, will have an Open House from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM. This is an opportunity for parents and guardians to tour the school, see classrooms, and meet the staff.

Saturday, Sept. 22nd: Tewksbury will be holding its 4th Annual Town Zero Waste Day from 9 AM to 1 PM in the Wynn Middle School parking lot. Drive-Thru donations and recycling will be an option for participants, and more than a dozen non-profit organizations will be on hand to accept gently used donations. For more information on the event, head to: www.zwdtewksbury.org/

Saturday, Sept. 22nd: 4th Annual Open House: Tewksbury Rod & Gun Club, from 9 AM to 3 PM.

Open to the Public and FREE. This is a family event with planned shooting. Range Safety Officers will be on hand to explain and demonstrate the safe use of firearms. Instructions, equipment, and ammunition supplied. Refreshments will be available at moderate cost. 79 Chandler Street.

Tuesday, Sept. 25th: The Tewksbury Public Library will be having a preschool story time from 11:00 AM to 11:30 AM where kids ages 3/5 can enjoy music making, singing, stories, and movement! They'll have fun while learning early literary skills! No registration required, and older of younger siblings are welcome to join.

Weds., Sept. 26th: The popular book "That Old Cape Magic" by Richard Russo will be discussed in the Meeting Room of the Tewksbury Memorial Library from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM. For more information, contact Joanne Toppin at 978-640-4490.

Thurs., Sept. 27th: The Ribbon Cutting ceremony for the Tewksbury Memorial High School will be held.

Saturday, Sept. 29th: The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be holding its annual Friends of the Poor walk. Walk begins at the Billerica Boys And Girls Club with registration at 8 AM and ends at the Irish American by noon. For more information, head to: <http://svdpusa.org/>

Saturday, Sept. 29th: The Tewksbury Knights of Columbus will be holding a Country Night, featuring Angela West and her band, at 7:00 PM at the Tewksbury Knights of Columbus on 2068 Main Street. Tickets will be sold at the door for \$15 each, and there will be 50/50 drawings, raffles, and a Chile

Cook-Off. For more information, you can call either 978-658-6342 or 978-658-9593, or visit: www.Tewksburykofc.com/.

Fri., Oct. 12-Sat., Oct. 13: The Tewksbury Community of Artists will be holding its annual Art Festival at the Wynn Middle School from 10 AM to 3 PM. Head to: www.tewksburycommunityofartists.com/annualart-festival_event.htm to download an application for the festival and to get more information about the festival.

Around the Valley Burlington:

Thurs., Sept. 20th: Bring your dog to Unleashed by Petco's Yappy Hour, a dog social event where you can socialize with pets and pet parents. Refreshments are available for the pets and pet parents, and will occur from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM.

Easton:

Saturday, Oct. 6th and Sunday, Oct. 7th: The Saint Joseph Chapel will have a holy relic of Saint Andre present during a Healing Mass and Blessing. Saturday's mass will be held in French, while Sunday's mass will be held in English. For more information, call David Kindy at 508-747-1832 or email him at david@mja.com

Gloucester:

Saturday, Sept. 22nd: A new version of the Captain Courageous Festival will feature many events and offerings on the harbor and around the town to highlight the town's maritime heritage and history. Currently, the town is looking for venues to hold poetry, dramatic readings and music performances, and would appreciate any musicians willing to offer programs that tie into Gloucester and Cape Ann's heritage. For more information, contact Beth Welin at Schooner Adventure, at 978-281-8079 or at bwelin@schooner-adventure.org

ture.org

Ipswich:

Weds., Sept. 19th: There will be a lecture on the Boston College Educational Seismology Project, or the BC-ESP, at the Ipswich Performing Arts center in the Ipswich High School, located on 135 High Street from 7:00-8:00 PM. The presenter will be Dr. Alan Kafka, the Project Director.

Lowell:

Thurs., Oct. 25th: Dennis Miller, a comedian that satires politicians and celebrities and is renowned for his Saturday Night Live commentaries on "Weekend Updates," will be performing his comedy at the Lowell Memorial Auditorium on 50 East Merrimack Street in Lowell.

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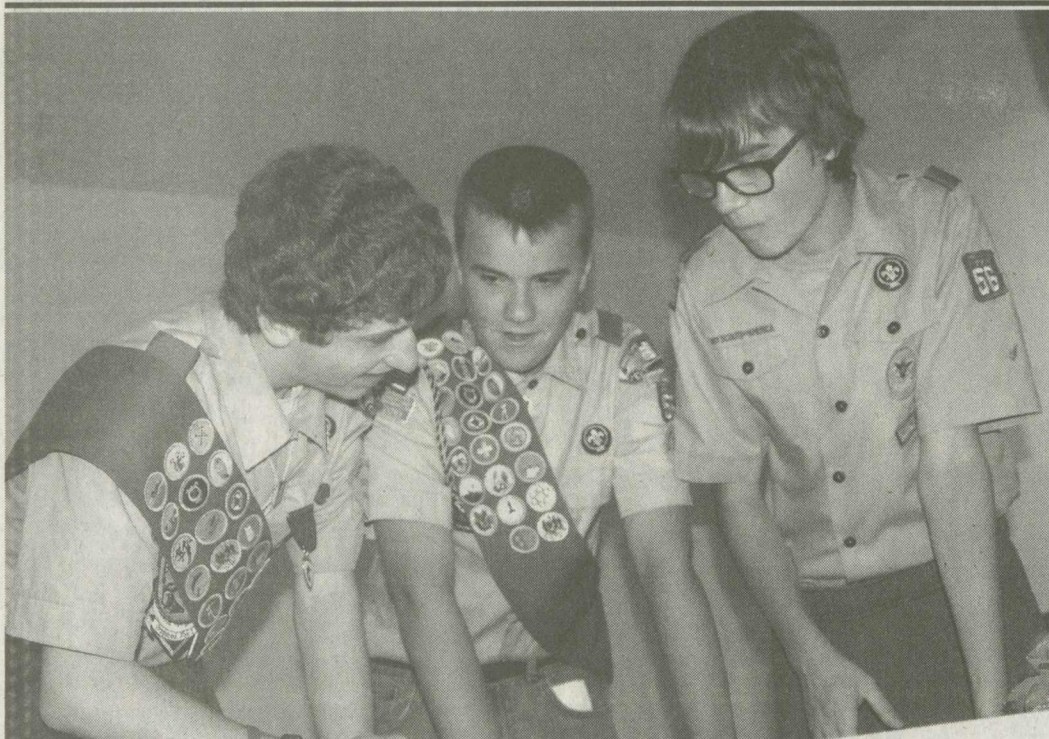
Sunday, Oct. 7th: Head to the Rogers Center for the Arts, on 315 Turnpike Street, to see the Merrimack Valley Chorus, with special guest North Shore Acapella, perform "Star Quest: In Search of Dot Dot Dot". Ticket prices are \$18 for general admission, \$15 for students, seniors, and Merrimack College employees, and \$13 for ages of children between the ages of 7-17.

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Saturday, Oct. 6th: Head to the Faith Quest Community Church on 50 Central Street at 6:00 PM to meet Kevin Malarchy, author of The Boy Who Came Back from Heaven.

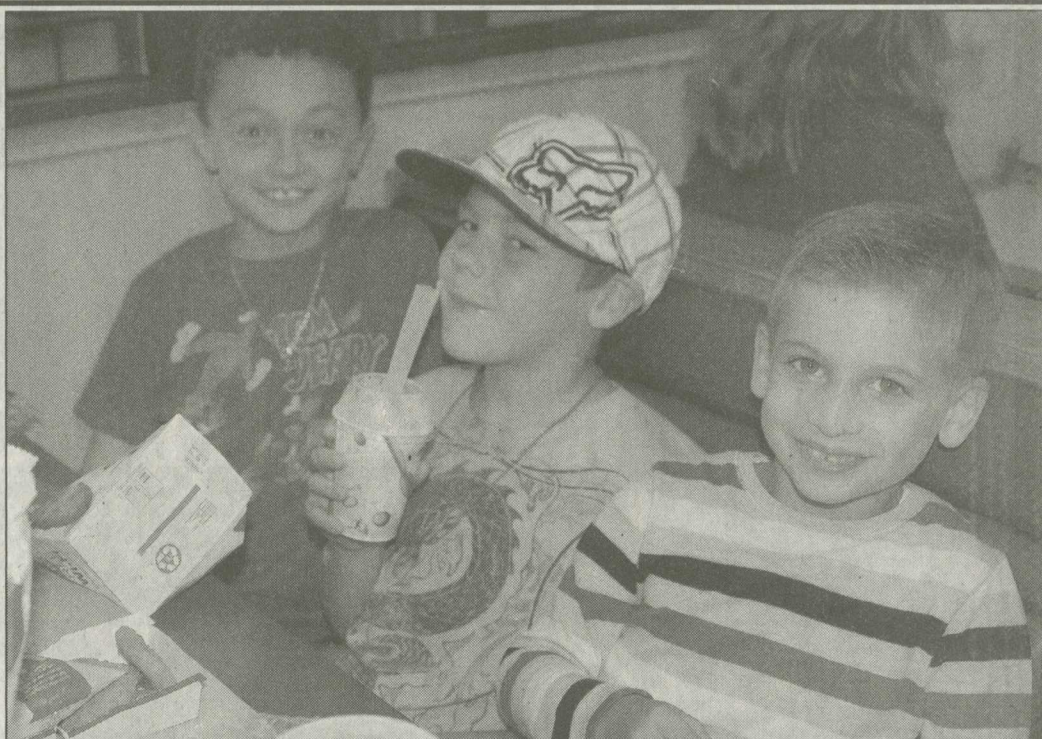
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Weds., Sept. 26th: The Easy Gourmet Vincent Ferlisi will be having an informative and entertaining cooking class at the Saint Charles School Cafeteria on 8 Myrtle Street. Entry is \$20 per person, or two friends can both go simultaneously for only \$15.



Dan Bell, Scott Robinson and Sam Alatalo organized the merit badges to be awarded to the members of Troop 56 on Tuesday evening.

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Nicholas Gonzalez, Colin Frazier and Richie Bongiorno, all students at the Heath brook School, enjoyed dinner at MacDonald's on Tuesday evening.

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Event Registration

Please register online using our Calendar of Events at www.tewksburypl.org or by calling (978) 640-4490 (for Adult) or (978) 640-4496 (for Children). Events that require registration are marked (RR). Events that require tickets are marked (TK). Drop-in programs are marked (DI). All events are free.

Adult & Teen Events

In The Market: Closet Smarts - Revamping Your Wardrobe (RR)

Thurs., Sept. 20, 7pm
Professional clothing consultant Emily Neill, author of Closet Smarts, will teach folks how to overhaul your wardrobe. Never again will you have a closet full of clothes but nothing to wear!

In the Market: Love Signs - Relationship Astrology (RR)

Thurs., Sept. 27, 7pm
Astrology columnist Sally Cragin, author of The Astrological Elements, will lead an entertaining and educational workshop on understanding your own personal astrology. Who do you love? Who would you love? How do you get along with others? Is there a sun sign that's perfect for you? Attend alone, or bring your partner!

Dinner & A Movie: The Avengers (RR)

Friday, Sept. 28, 7pm
The library will be serving dinner and screening one of Hollywood's latest DVD releases - "The Avengers" (PG-13). The action film, which grossed \$616.8 million at the box office, stars Robert Downey Jr., Chris Hemsworth, Chris Evans, Mark Ruffalo, Jeremy Renner, Scarlett Johansson and Samuel L. Jackson.

Fright Nights: Explore The Cemeteries of Tewksbury (RR)

Tuesday, Oct. 2, 7pm
The Gravestone Girls - Massachusetts's renowned cemetery educators who "keep the dead alive" - will present a virtual tour of

Tewksbury Library Notes

by Diane Giarrusso

Astrology Workshop 9/27

Tewksbury's nine local cemeteries. Their presentation is built on recent photographs of these special and interesting burying places around town, while charting the evolution of cemeteries and gravestones from the colonial era into the 21st century.

Presidential (re)Treats: A Celebration of 200 Years of Political Humor in America (RR)

Thurs., Oct. 4, 7pm
Actress Judy Bernstein will perform her one-woman show - "A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The White House." Enjoy the light-hearted side of American politics!

Fright Nights: A Supernatural Evening - The White House & Other Famous Haunts (RR)

Tuesday, Oct. 9, 7pm
Worldwide paranormal star Jeff Belanger, author of 16 books including Weird Massachusetts and Who's Haunting the White House?, will return to the Tewksbury Public Library to host his annual "Supernatural Evening." This year's program will, in part, pay homage to the many ghost stories to come out of the White House over its 212 years!

Dinner & A Movie: Dark Shadows (RR)

Friday, Oct. 12, 7pm
The library will be serving dinner and screening one of Hollywood's latest DVD releases - "Dark Shadows" (PG-13). The horror comedy, which grossed \$79.7 million at the box office, stars Johnny Depp, Michelle Pfeiffer, and Helena Bonham Carter.

Children's Events

Drop-In Preschool Craft (DI)

Thurs., Sept. 20, 10:30am
Drop in any time during the hour to make a craft that is especially suited for 2 year olds!

Do-It-Yourself Craft Saturday (DI)

Sat., Sept. 22, 10am-noon
Drop in to make an autumn-themed craft. For kids of all ages.

Tiny Tykes Story Time (DI)

Monday, Sept. 24, 10:15am AND 11am

Bring your favorite guy to story time! We sing songs, read stories, dance, play instruments and more. Then after our fun, we have a snack and juice and coffee to round out our morning. For ages 3 to 6. Older or young siblings are always welcome. Moms or other caregivers are also welcome to participate.

Preschool Story Time (DI)

Tuesday, Sept. 25, 11am

Join us for a half hour of stories, songs, dancing, instruments, and, of course, the Guest Box. Come on down to learn some early literacy skills and make new friends! For ages 3 to 5.

Evening Story & Craft (DI)

Weds., Sept. 26, 6:30pm

Drop in to hear stories, sing songs and play some games. Then make a craft based on the stories! For ages 3 to 7, along with their parents/caregivers.

Wiggle Time (DI)

Thurs., Sept. 27, 10:30am

Come on down to our 30-minute session of songs, stories, instruments, dancing and more. Get those early literacy skills working now! For 2 year olds. Children ages 18 to 23 months are also welcome to join us. Older and younger siblings are also always welcome.

Family Movie Matinee (DI)

Saturday, Sept. 29, 2pm

This week's movie is "Pirates: Band of Misfits." Rated PG. 88 minutes. Bring a blanket or sleeping bag and a pillow. Stretch out on our floor with your snacks and enjoy the movie. For all ages. Proper movie behavior expected at all times.

Library News Library Adds Blu-Ray Collection

Did you know that approximately 20% of American households own a blu-ray player? In order to better serve our patrons' needs, the Tewksbury Public Library recently created a blu-ray col-

lection. Shelves next to its DVD collection, the blu-ray collection contains more than 200 films, with an emphasis on popular titles released within the past two years. New titles will be added on a frequent basis. For borrowing purposes, blu-rays are treated just like DVDs - up to six can be taken with a one-week loan period. Blu-rays are requestable and, unless there's a waiting list, renewable for an additional week.

Half-marathon/5K Run/Walk this Sunday

WILMINGTON - The Wilmington Chamber of Commerce 8th Annual Half-Marathon and 5K Run/Walk is this Sunday. This great event for the entire family includes DJ, hotdogs, fruit, ice cream, face painting, gentle giant speedstairs challenge, bouncy house, Ufund Dream Tour photo booth, chamber member booths and give-aways!

To date there are 136 runners registered for the Half and 128 for the 5K race; another 97 people have registered to walk walking the 5K. The Chamber anticipates that many people will be registering on race day, so you are encouraged to

pre-register to avoid long lines. On-line registration closes at noon on Thursday, September 20. Pre-registrants receive a \$5 discount too.

Registration tables open at 8:00 a.m. Please be sure to check in at the pre-registration tent to receive your bib number, chip and and race bag. The races start at 10:10 a.m.

As soon as results are available, they will be posted and awards presentations will take place, at about 11:15 a.m. for the 5K and 12:30 p.m. for the Half-marathon, so try and stick around!

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Paula Cushing-Poe named Big E 'Host of the day'

WILMINGTON - Paula Cushing-Cote, of Wilmington, was presented The Big E Host of the Day award Sept. 16, 2012, by Eastern States Exposition President Eugene Cassidy. Paula, owner and operator of Marion's Fried Dough, has worked at The Big E for more than 20 years.

The Host of the Day award recognizes employees, volunteers and other members of The Big E family who exemplify the Fair's philosophy of positive customer relations. It has been part of the Exposition's customer service program since 1989, established for individuals who go "above and beyond the call" in their interactions with fairgoers. Paula was selected from more than 1,500 personnel working this year at The Big E. At Marion's Fried Dough, Paula works closely with

ESE Vice President Sue Lavoie and Event Coordinator Jessica Castro to create new foods for the Fair. Deep fried butter, deep fried jelly beans and deep fried Kool-Aid are a few of the fried delicacies that Paula brought to The Big E.

Paula received a Host of the Day Picture Frame and 2012 Big E commemorative gifts at the surprise presentation. "Paula does a marvelous job. She is always so

happy and always has a smile," Cassidy said at the ceremony which was attended by Fair officers, managers and co-workers. Lavoie added, "Paula is the 'I can do anything' girl. She works hard all winter perfecting her recipes and goes on interviews to promote the food. She is terrific!"

New England's Autumn Tradition continue through Sept. 30 in West Springfield, Mass.

Miceli to host office hours

TEWKSBURY/ WILMINGTON - Representative James Miceli will be holding office hours for the Town of Wilmington, Tuesday, September 25 from 9:30-11:00am at the Wilmington Senior Center and also from 6:30-8:00pm at the Wilmington Town Hall.

Representative James Miceli will also be holding office hours for the Town of Tewksbury, Wednesday, September 26 from 9:30-11:00am at the Tewksbury Senior Citizen Center and also from 6:30-8:00pm at the Tewksbury Public Library.

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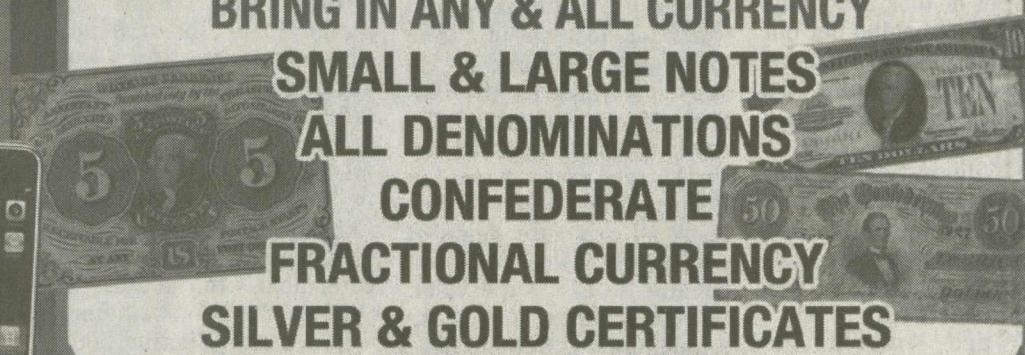
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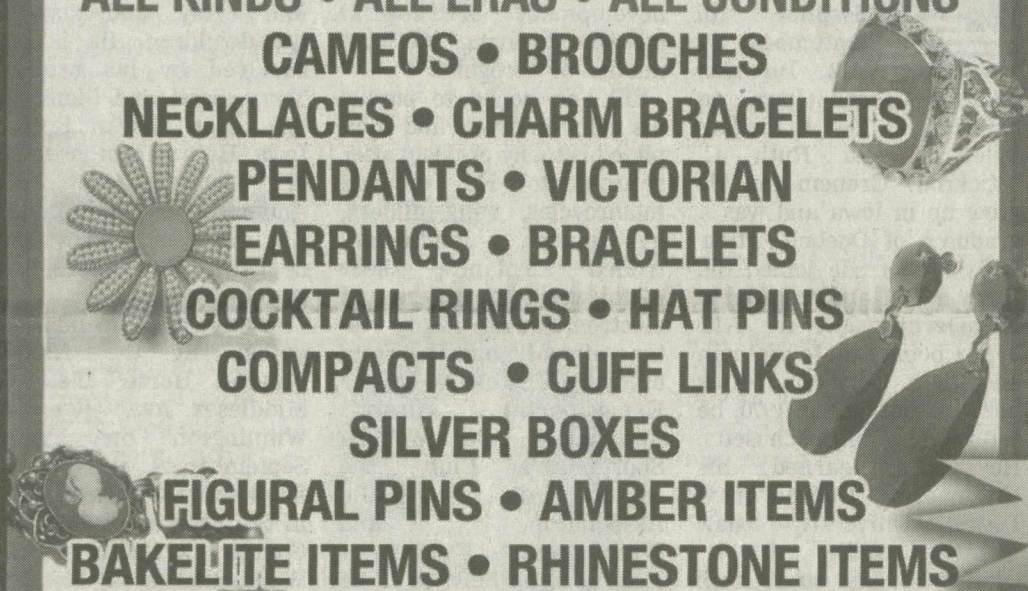
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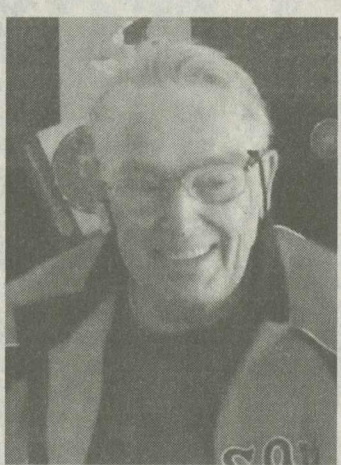
Marine, U.S. Postal worker

WILMINGTON - William F. Blowers, age 75, of Wilmington, died unexpectedly at home on September 15, 2012.

William was born on March 24, 1937 in Boston, MA. He was the son of the late Reginald and Anna E. (Doherty) Blowers. William was raised and educated in East Boston. William enlisted in the Marines on April 11, 1958, during the Vietnam War. Bill loved the Marines and serving his country. He liked airplanes and worked as an airplane mechanic, which he was very talented at, and was also a Sharp Shooter. Bill was honorably discharged in August of 1961 after being injured.

After William's discharge from the Marines, he started to notice a beautiful woman on the bus he took every day, and would sit behind her but had not spoken to her. To his surprise, at the wedding of a friend, he saw her there as a guest, and finally that is where William and Juanita "Dee" Venuti officially met. Bill and Dee married in 1965 in Boston's North End at St. Stephen's Church. They lived in Malden for a short time and moved to Wilmington in 1976, where they raised their three children. William and Dee were very dedicated to their family and celebrated over 35 years together until Dee's sudden passing in January of 2001.

William was a devoted father. He loved to spend



time with his children and was involved with their activities and sports. William was an Assistant Scout Master when his son belonged to Boys Scouts Troop 56. He coached girls soccer when the Wilmington Youth Soccer started to have girls and boys play on separate teams.

William was a hard and dedicated worker, and worked up to 3 jobs at a time to support his family. He started working for the U.S. Post Office, back when the mail was transported by train. He worked on the Boston to New York Railroad and after years of dedicated service, he became a supervisor. William retired from the Malden Post Office in 1993.

William loved to travel with family and friends, especially to the Irish Village on the Cape or to Provincetown. William and Dee enjoyed a cruise together to Bermuda celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary the summer before Dee passed. He liked to indulge

in taking trips to Foxwoods Casino or Mohegan Sun and was an avid Red Sox fan. William also enjoyed just being home, and watching T.V. with his faithful companions, his dogs, Ginger, Ivan and Milo.

William was the beloved husband of the late Juanita "Dee" (Venuti) Blowers, devoted father of Michael S. Blowers and J. Triana Blowers both of Wilmington, Kenneth C. Blowers and his wife Valerie of Reading, grandfather of Kristian, Joshua, and great-grandson Jacob, dear son of the late Reginald and Anna (Doherty) Blowers, brother of Jane Amato of Malden, John Blowers of Florida, Anna Elkins of Nashua, NH, the late Carol Rome and Robert Blowers. Bill is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Family and friends will gather at the Nichols Funeral Home, Inc., 187 Middlesex Ave. (Rte. 62), Wilmington, on Thursday, September 20th at 11:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Thomas of Villanova Church, 126 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington, at 12:00 noon. Interment to follow in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington. Visiting hours will be held Wednesday, September 19th from 4-8 p.m. Memorial donations in William's name may be made to Local Heroes, Inc., P. O. Box 536, Wilmington, MA 01887 or to the MSPCA-Angell Headquarters, 350 South Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02130.

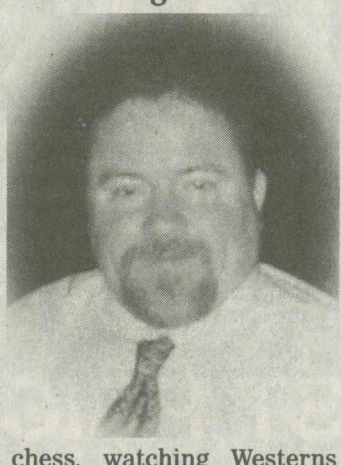
Atwood E. "Dick" Dickson, III

Lived life to the fullest; loved traveling and chess

WILMINGTON - Atwood E. "Dick" Dickson, III, age 51, of Wilmington, died peacefully on Monday, September 17, 2012 at the Lahey Clinic Medical Center in Burlington, surrounded by his family whom he loved more than anything. Born on September 22, 1960 in Malden, MA, Dick was the son of Gail E. (Bridgham) Dickson and Atwood E. Dickson, Jr.

He was raised in Wilmington and attended the Wilmington Public Schools. In 1977, at the age of 16, Dick was injured in a car accident and became a quadriplegic. He went on to graduate from high school in 1980 and soon after, met Judy, who was the love of his life. They were married in 1983 and throughout their years together, they traveled often to many different parts of the country, including living for a time in Honolulu, HI, Tempe, AZ, and Charlottesville, VA, before finally returning to Massachusetts in 1990 to be closer to family. They lived in Salem for 17 years before moving back to Dick's hometown of Wilmington in 2008.

Dick enjoyed playing



chess, watching Westerns and listening to music, especially Bob Dylan who he and Judy saw in concert over a dozen times. He had a love of knowledge and took many college and graduate classes at ASU, UVA and Harvard among other schools. Dick was an incredible person and everyone who knew him described him as courageous and positive with and exuberance for living life to the fullest. Dick's greatest joy was his family, who he spent as much time with as he could.

In addition to his beloved wife of over 29 years, Judy (Mitchell) Dickson, Dick leaves his loving parents Gail E. Dickson of Wilmington and Atwood E. Dickson, Jr. of Lexington;

his brothers, to whom he was very close, William R. Dickson and his wife Kelley of Dracut and Steven P. Dickson and his wife Christine of Wilmington; and his loving sister-in-law Sandra L. Rossman and her husband Todd of West Springfield. He also leaves the "lights of his life", his nieces and nephews, Michelle, William, Jr., Drew, Steven, Jr., Katelyn, Madison and Andrew.

Visiting hours will be held on Thursday, September 20, at the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., (Rt. 62), Wilmington, from 4-8 p.m. Family and friends will gather for a funeral service for Dick will be held on Friday, September 21, at the Wilmington United Methodist Church, 87 Church St., (Rt. 62), Wilmington at 10:00 a.m. Interment will be held privately.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Dick's name can be made to The Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, 1095 NW 14th Terrace, Lois Pope LIFE Center, Miami, FL 33136 or Shriners Hospitals for Children, 516 Carew Street, Springfield, MA 01104.

Gertrude Frances Donovan

Worked for Employers Fire Insurance Co.

WILMINGTON - Gertrude Frances Donovan, 87, of Wilmington, MA, died Wednesday, September 12, 2012, at the Carroll Hospice Dove House in Westminster, MD. Born August 1, 1925 in Wilmington, MA she was the daughter of the late Susan Fogwill Donovan and Joseph Irving Donovan, Sr.

She graduated from Wilmington High School in 1944. Before retiring she worked at Employers Fire Insurance Co. which became Commercial Union Insurance Co. now known as Beacon One in Boston for over 40 years. She was a member of the Congregational Church of

Wilmington, Iris Society, volunteer at A.I.M., avid painter, gardener, and enjoyed birds, cats, and dogs.

She was predeceased by her brothers Joseph I. Donovan, Jr. and Martin Donovan. She is survived by her nephews Joseph I. Donovan III and his wife Linda of Boonsboro, Steve Donovan and his wife Debbie of Rexford, NY, Mark Donovan, niece Elaine Conover and her husband George of Westminster, MD, also survived by great nieces and nephews and great-great nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be

held on Sunday, September 16, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. in the Nichols Funeral Home, Inc., 187 Middlesex Ave. (Rte. 62), Wilmington, MA, with Rev. Russell Kent officiating.

Friends may call at the funeral home on Sunday from 2:00 p.m. until time of service.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 17th in Wildwood Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to A.I.M., c/o Frank Sferazza, 31 Fairmeadow Road, Wilmington, MA 01887. www.nicholsfuneralhome.com

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6:40 - 7:25 Teacher Presentations - Classrooms
7:30 - 7:40 Administrator Welcome - Cafeteria

7: 40 - 8:25 Teacher Presentations - Classrooms

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Battle of the Bands 2012

WILMINGTON - Wilmington High School Choral and Theatre Support (C.A.T.S.) group presents a night of music with "Battle of the Bands 2012."

The event takes place on October 27, 2012, from 7-10 p.m. at the Wilmington High School auditorium. Admission at the door is \$10. (One hundred percent of the proceeds will benefit the

WHS C.A.T.S. scholarship, as well as the production equipment and materials fund.)

Nine qualifying bands will compete for the grand prize of five hours of recording studio time at The Real School of Music in Burlington.

For rules and to submit an application for participation, visit the website at:

www.wilmingtoncats.org. The deadline for applications is Sept. 30 at 5:00 p.m. All band members must be under the age of 21 and bands must have at least one member who is a Wilmington resident currently attending high school. Participating bands will be announced on October 1. Visit: facebook.com/WHSCATS.

OBITUARIES

Rosemary E. Malvone

L.P.N. with Lawrence Memorial Hospital

WILMINGTON

Rosemary E. Malvone, age 63, of Wilmington passed away unexpectedly following a yearlong battle with cancer. She was the beloved wife of Leonard A. Malvone and together they shared 40 years of marriage. Born in Malden she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Emma (DeCristoforo) Salerno.

Rosemary was raised and educated in Medford and was a 1967 graduate of Medford High School. Following high school Rosemary attended the Youville School of Practical Nursing and upon completion of her studies she began her career as a licensed practicing nurse and worked at the Lawrence Memorial Hospital in Medford for more than 17 years. Rosemary was always active and involved in different community affairs and served the people of Medford as the past chairperson of the Medford Consumer Commission. Throughout her life Rosemary's faith was a source of great strength and comfort for her. For many years she was a religious education teacher with the



Boston Archdiocese and was very active with the nursing ministry for the Abundant Life Christian Center of Wilmington. Rosemary was also a member of the Wilmington Sons of Italy Lodge 2138, where she fostered many wonderful friendships that she truly cherished.

However, Rosemary's greatest joy came from her family. She enjoyed nothing more than spending time with them and especially cherished her time with her grandchildren. She will be greatly missed.

Rosemary is survived by her beloved husband, Leonard A. Malvone. She was the devoted mother of Paul Malvone and his wife

Tricia of Wilmington and was the loving nana of Ella and Joey Malvone. She is also survived by her brother, Joseph Salerno and his wife Theresa of Anaheim, CA. She is further survived by several loving in-laws, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held from the Dello Russo Funeral Home, 374 Main St., Wilmington, Thursday, September 20th, at 9 a.m. followed by a funeral mass celebrated in St. Dorothy Church, Main Street, Wilmington, at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Visiting hours at the Dello Russo Funeral Home will be, Wednesday, September 19th, from 4 thru 8 p.m. Services will conclude with burial at Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington. It has been requested that in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made in Rosemary's memory to The Jimmy Fund, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168. For directions, obituary or to leave an online message of condolence please visit www.dellorusso.net



Ros Dorrance, Donna Mooney and Lori Hyland helped serve dinner to the students of the Heath Brook and Trahan Schools sporting their "McTeacher's Night" t-shirts on Tuesday evening.

(photo by Maureen Lamoureux-www.shootingstarspix.com)

Jacqueline Mello to wed Victor Saviano III



Mr. & Mrs. Stephen A. Mello of Wilmington, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Jacqueline Rose Mello to Mr. Victor Joseph Saviano III.

Jacqueline is a 2006 graduate of Wilmington High School and for the past 5 years has been employed as a hairstylist at The Salon On Haven located in Reading, MA.

Victor is a 2006 graduate of Lynn English High School and is currently living in Wakefield. His family resides in Wilmington. Victor has been employed for the past 4 years as a plumber for Majestic Mechanical Contractors in Tewksbury, MA.

An August 2013 wedding has been planned.

James S. "Jim" Rando

19 years in the National Guard and worked for the Town of Wilmington

WILMINGTON - James S. "Jim" Rando of Wilmington, passed away on Friday, September 14, 2012 after a lengthy illness. He was 83 years of age.

Jim was a member of the National Guard for 19 years. Jim was retired after many years of working in the construction business. At one time, he owned his own construction business, Meridian Construction. Followed by several years of being employed by the Town of Wilmington.

He was a member of St. Agnes Parish in Reading, where he enjoyed participating in the men's retreat and being an usher at Mass for many years. In his younger years, he was a member of the Sons of Italy in Wilmington. In his spare time, he enjoyed taking long walks and working in the yard.

Jim was the beloved husband for 59 years of Constance M. (Valiante) Rando. He was the devoted father of James S. Rando,



Jr. of MD, Janice M. Goodwin of NH, Joseph Rando of Uxbridge, Judy A. Newton of Reading. Jim was the cherished grandfather of Shaun Canavan, Kellie Moore, Megan LeClair, Michael Canavan, Charles Newton, Daniel Newton. He was the loving great grandfather of 11. Jim was the dear brother of Nancy Garvey and her husband John of Medford and the late Phyllis Tusa, Mary Cuniff and Jenny Nehmer. He was the brother in law of

Joe Tusa, Buddy Nehmer and the late Martin Cuniff and the son of the late Joseph Rando and Angelina (Pittorino) Rando. Jim was also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Funeral from the Doherty - Barile Family Funeral Home, 11 Linden St. Reading Tuesday at 9:30am followed by a Funeral Mass Celebrating Jim's Eternal Life in St. Agnes Church, 186 Woburn St. Reading at 10:30am. Family and friends are cordially invited to gather and share remembrances with the Family on Monday from 5-8pm in the Funeral Home. Parking attendants will be available. Interment Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Please honor Jim by making donations in his memory to The Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St. Watertown, MA.

Arrangements by the Doherty - Barile Family Funeral Home, 11 Linden St. Reading. For directions or to send a memorial condolence visit:

www.barilefuneral.com

Mee H. Der

WILMINGTON - Mee H. (Wong) Der, age 88, of Wilmington, died peacefully on September 18, 2012. Mee was the beloved wife of the late Paul Der, devoted mother of Laura Richards and her husband Jon of Wilmington, and loving "Poo Poo" of Isabelle Richards of Wilmington, dear daughter

of the late Po and Kam (Nui) Wong. Mee is also survived by many family members in China.

Family and friends will gather for a Funeral Service on Tuesday, September 25th at 10:00 a.m. in the Nichols Funeral Home, Inc., 187 Middlesex Ave. (Rte. 62), Wilmington. Interment to

follow in Forest Hills Cemetery, Jamaica Plain.

Visiting hours will be held on Monday, September 24th from 5-8 p.m. Memorial donations in Mee's name may be made to South Cove Manor, 120 Shawmut Ave., Boston, MA 02118. www.nicholsfuneralhome.com

Mary L. Ferdinand

Secretary for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

SOUTHGATE, MI - Mary L. (MacPherson) Ferdinand, of Southgate, MI, formerly of Wilmington, West Roxbury, and Jamaica Plain, MA, died peacefully on September 18, 2012.

Mary was born in Boston, MA on June 5, 1933, she was the dear daughter of the late Hugh MacPherson and Margaret (MacKinnon-MacPherson) Holden.

Prior to retiring, Mary was

a secretary for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company for many years.

Mary was the beloved mother of George Ferdinand of Southgate, MI, formerly of Wilmington, dear sister of John MacPherson of Walpole, Cathy Hanley of Michigan, the late Marie Cormier and David Holden.

Visiting hours will be held at the Nichols Funeral Home, Inc., 187 Middlesex

Ave. (Rte. 62), Wilmington on Sunday, September 23rd from 5-8 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Monday, September 24th at 10:00 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 45 Brookside Ave., Jamaica Plain, MA. In lieu of flowers donations in Mary's memory may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, 30 East 33rd St., New York, NY 10016. www.nicholsfuneralhome.com



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Tewksbury Police Log

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

1:04 p.m. Mark Donnay, 51, of 8 Michael Street in Tewksbury, was arrested at 104 Main Street and is charged with operating a motor vehicle with a suspended license.

2:15 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 685 Main Street.

2:44 p.m. Money was reportedly stolen from 460 East Street.

7:16 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 366 Main Street.

8:15 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 9 Heritage Drive.

8:24 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 540 Main Street.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

2:07 a.m. A stolen motor vehicle was recovered at 1699 Shawsheen Street.

6:57 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 1608 Main Street.

8:34 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at the intersection of Shawsheen Street and Main Street.

9:13 a.m. An argument was reported at 28 Greenwood Avenue.

9:16 a.m. There was a reported vehicle at 875 East Street.

12:05 p.m. A disturbance was reported at 450 Main Street.

12:52 p.m. James Devine, 23, of 15 Littlefield Avenue in Tewksbury, was arrested at 22 Ruskin Road on the basis of a warrant.

2:32 p.m. Steven Escott, 47, 190 Moody Street, Apartment 234 in Waltham, was arrested at 277 Maple Street on the basis of a warrant.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

2:22 a.m. Ethan Becker, 25, of 181 College Farm Road in Waltham, was arrested at 55 Blease Drive and is charged with breaking and entering a building at night for a felony, malicious destruction of property valued greater than \$250, three counts of assault and battery, three counts of assault with a dangerous weapon, armed assault in a dwelling, assault to murder, assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, and resisting arrest.

11:51 a.m. A disturbance was reported at 10 Hinckley Road.

12:35 p.m. Jason Fidalgo, 25, of 27 Bernier Street in Lowell, was arrested at 515 Woburn Street on the basis of a warrant.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

6:49 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at the intersection of Main Street and South Street.

11:21 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 1768 Main Street.

4:35 p.m. A boy was bitten by a dog on Lake Street.

4:52 p.m. A German shepherd reportedly bit a Jack Russell terrier at 197 Patrick Road.

5:15 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 85 Main Street.

8:11 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred on Route 495 South.

8:13 p.m. A domestic disturbance occurred at 33 Main Street.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

3:54 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 875 East Street.

9:25 a.m. Paul G. Siopes, 41, of 230 Mt. Hope Street in Lowell, was arrested at 10 Main Street and is charged with the utterance of a false prescription and obtaining drugs by fraudulent means.

1:51 p.m. Jason Hines, 39, of 20 Katie Way in Tewksbury, was arrested at 2171 Main Street on the basis of a warrant.

3:10 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at the intersection of Main Street and Shawsheen Street.

3:38 p.m. A vehicle related accident occurred at the intersection of Appletree Road and Main Street.

10:16 p.m. A domestic disturbance occurred at 96 Lee Street.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

10:07 a.m. Mark Walker, who is 35 and homeless, was arrested at 95 Main Street on the basis of a warrant.

11:01 a.m. Baby formula was reportedly stolen from 333 Main Street.

11:47 a.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 85 Main Street.

12:38 p.m. Lawn chairs were reportedly stolen from 40 Redgate Road.

2:06 p.m. A motor vehicle related accident occurred at 131 Pond Street.

8:44 p.m. An argument was reported at 1738 Main Street.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

1:41 a.m. Jack Capello, 19, of 10 Pearl Street in Tewksbury, was arrested at the intersection of South Street and Columbia Road on the basis of a warrant.

5:34 p.m. 71 Merrimack Drive was reportedly burglarized.

7:57 p.m. A vehicle parked at 1795 Andover Street was reportedly burglarized.



Wilmington Police Log

Footbridge not meant for cars

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH:

8:23 AM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Woburn St. between a Toyota Camry and a Chevy. No injuries reported.

12:39 PM: A large truck drove over a traffic island on Fairmeadow Rd.

4:56 PM: A mail truck and a Chrysler collided on Salem St., with no injuries reported.

6:06 PM: Kimberly Ocean of Hamilton was arrested on Main St. on the basis of a warrant for falsely reporting a crime.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH:

12:58 PM: A shoplifter was reported at Market Basket. The car reported to be a Volvo C70 Turbo.

4:27 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Richmond St. between a Jeep Wrangler and a Nissan Altima. No injuries were reported.

5:23 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred in the vicinity of 210 Lowell St. The collision was a hit and run by a Hyundai Sonata, and no injuries were reported.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH:

6:59 AM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Salem St. between a Ford and a Jeep Liberty Sport. Property damage was caused at 194 and 196 Salem St.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH:

2:07 AM: A single vehicle motor vehicle collision occurred on Main St. when a Mazda 3 attempted to drive over the footbridge to Old Shawsheen. No injuries were

reported.

11:26 AM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Quail Run between a Toyota and a red vehicle. Minor damage reported.

11:38 AM: The sign board, tires, wires, and license plate of a police officer's vehicle was vandalized on Quail Run.

2:11 PM: A stationary exercise bike was taken from Houghton Rd.

3:51 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Salem St. between a Toyota and a Plymouth.

5:45 PM: A David Coates of 8 Coolidge St., Billerica, was arrested on Shawsheen Ave. on the basis of a warrant.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH:

4:35 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Lowell St. between a Saturn and Nissan.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH:

5:04 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Main St. between a Subaru Forest and a Chevy Malibu.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH:

4:23 AM: A Toyota Celica struck a pole on Fairview Ave. The vehicle left the scene after impact.

1:35 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Main St. between a Nissan Quest and a Chevy.

1:48 PM: A motor vehicle collision occurred on Park St. between a Nissan Altima and a Chevy Silverado.



Troop 56 awarded Merit Badges during their Court of Honor Ceremony on Tuesday at the Congregational Church in Wilmington. Wil MacKinnon, Stan Danciewicz, Joe Consorti, Mike Danciewicz and Jonathan MacKinnon earned badges for chess.

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Tewksbury Senior Topics

3 Swinging Tenors Saturday; Foxwoods trip 10/9 - \$21; Many more trips

A note of thanks is extended to all those Seniors who volunteered at the Friends Breakfast Benefit this past Sunday; and, to all those who patronized the event. The next breakfast event will be held on November 4th. The winner of the drawing was Mrs. Clover Wilson.

Those people attending the 3 Swinging Tenors this Saturday, September 22nd are reminded that dinner will be served at 6:00 PM. The show will be held after dinner.

DJ Jon Mansfield will be at the Senior Center next Monday, September 24th, for an afternoon dance.

Those obtaining their DJ Jon tickets by noon this Thursday will have lunch included prior to the dance.

Representative Jim Miceli will hold an office hour at the Senior Center next Wednesday, September 26th from 9:30 to 11:00 AM.

A Friends Giant Yard Sale will be held at the Senior Center, 175 Chandler Street, on Saturday, September

29th from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM rain or shine. Table space is still available for this even at \$15 per table or \$25 for two tables spaces. To reserve a table or obtain further information on may call the Senior Center at 978-640-4480. The yard sale will also include a yummy bake table and luncheon specials. The Upscale Consignment Shop and Snooti Patooti Gift Shop will also be open during the yard sale.

The Upscale Consignment shop will hold its "Intake of Items" day on Monday, October 1st from 3:00 to 7:00 PM. Fall clothes are now being accepted.

Tickets are still available for the Foxwood day trip of October 9th. The price per person is \$21.

Those Senior Citizens who are MEMA Volunteers are reminded that there will be a MEMA annual training at the Senior Center on Friday, October 12th at 9:30 AM in the conference room. We ask that you please confirm that you will be in attendance.

Our Swinging Senior Chorus participants are reminded that rehearsals have resumed on Thursday afternoons from 4:00 to 5:00 PM. All are welcome to join this group.

We are hoping to have information on a couple of October day trips in next weeks news.

Dances and events coming up in October are: Saturday and Sunday, October 13th and 14th - The Piecemakers Quilt Show

Friday October 19th - the Silvertones Dance - \$10

Sunday, October 21st - the Edwards Twins Luncheon and Matinee Show - \$55

Wednesday, October 24th - the Red Hat Halloween Party & Show - \$15

Friday, October 26th - the Friends Halloween Dance & Costume Contest with music by Boots & Company - \$10

A pleasant week is wished to all. God Bless America.

Wilmington Lions Club to participate in Wilmington Memorial Library's Community Fair

Eyeglass Recycling on Sept. 22nd

WILMINGTON - The Wilmington Lions Club is pleased to announce that they will be holding an Eyeglass Recycling effort at the Wilmington Memorial Library's Community Fair this coming Saturday, September 22nd from 10am - 1pm.

All types of glasses for both children and adults may be recycled, including very weak or strong prescriptions. Reading glasses and non-prescription sun-

glasses are also useful. Please feel free to visit the Wilmington Lions Club Table to make your donation. The Lions Club will also display literature concerning their eyesight initiatives as well as applications for membership.

Lions Clubs International is the largest service organization in the world with over 1.3 million members around the world. Since 1917, Lions Clubs International has aided the blind and visually

impaired and made a strong commitment to community service and serving youth throughout the world. For more information on Lions Clubs International visit their website at www.lionsclubs.org and also our local website www.lions-33n.org. You may also contact Shelley Sainato, Club President, at 978-804-1398 or LionShelley@comcast.net with any questions.

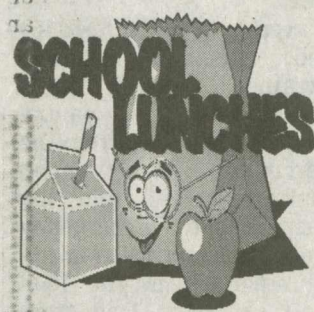
Wilmington provides Special Education services

WILMINGTON - Now that school is open, the Wilmington Special Education Department would like to inform interested people about the services provided under State and Federal Special Education regulations.

A variety of services and programs are available to students between the ages of 3 and 22 who have been determined to be children with special needs. This law provides for in-depth child evaluation, special education and appropriate treatment services.

The Special Education Department would like to emphasize the availability of programs and services for 3 and 4 year olds as well as children between the ages of 16 and 22. Special Education services available to all school age children include: pre-school programs, counseling as well as remedial instructional programs at all schools.

For more information about rights and services contact your building principal or the Special Education department at 978-694-6032.



Week of Sept. 24

Wilmington Public Schools

Wildwood & Boutwell:

Monday: French Toast sticks with syrup, Jones light sausage links, Baby carrots with low-fat dip, Applesauce with cinnamon.

Tuesday: Hot dog on a whole wheat roll, baked beans, tater tots, Orange wedges

Wednesday: Toasted Cheese on whole wheat bread, Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Mixed Fruit.

Thursday: Teriyaki Chicken nuggets with brown rice, Fresh Stir Fry Veggies, Pineapples

Friday: Early Dismissal

Elementary:

Monday: Chicken patty on a whole wheat roll. North & West Chicken patty, Sweet corn nibblets, Pears.

Tuesday: Hot dog on a whole wheat roll, baked beans, tater tots, Orange wedges

Wednesday: Toasted Cheese on whole wheat bread, Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Mixed Fruit.

Thursday: Teriyaki Chicken nuggets with brown rice, Fresh Stir Fry Veggies, Pineapples

Friday: Early Dismissal

Middle School:

Monday: Chicken patty or Spicy Chicken patty on a whole wheat roll, Sweet corn nibblets, Pears.

Tuesday: Cheese Quesadilla or Lettuce and tomato black bean salsa, Roasted sweet potatoes, Banana.

Wednesday: Stuffed shells with tomato sauce, French bread, Caesar Salad with Homemade croutons, Peaches.

Thursday: Teriyaki Chicken nuggets with brown rice, Fresh Stir Fry Veggies, Pineapples.

Friday: Early Dismissal

High School:

Monday: Chicken patty, Spicy patty or Vegan patty on a whole wheat roll, Sweet corn nibblets, Pears.

Tuesday: Stuffed shells with tomato sauce, French bread, Caesar Salad with Homemade croutons, Peaches.

Wednesday: Cheese Quesadilla or Beef & Cheese Quesadilla, Lettuce and

tomato black bean salsa, Roasted sweet potatoes, Banana.

Thursday: Teriyaki Chicken nuggets with brown rice, Fresh Stir Fry Veggies, Pineapples

Friday: Early Dismissal

Tewksbury Public Schools

K - 4:

Monday: WWGrilled Cheese Tomato Soup Vegetable Pasta Salad Grapes

Tuesday: Breaded Turkey Burger WW Bun Corn & Bean Salad Vegetable Sticks Pineapple Tidbits

Wednesday: RF Macaroni & Cheese, Seasoned Broccoli Carrot Raisin Salad Mixed Fruit Cup

Thursday: Chicken Nuggets WW Dinner Roll Mashed Potato Seasoned Carrots

Friday: WW Cheese Pizza Caesar Salad w/croutons Green Beans Orange Smiles

Daily alternatives: The LUNCH BOX (a complete cold lunch), Sunflower Butter & Jelly Sandwich, Yogurt

Ryan & Wynn:

Breakfast: Bagels w/cream cheese, muffins, cereal, yogurt (fruit and milk included).

Monday: WWGrilled Cheese Tomato Soup Vegetable Pasta Salad Grapes

Tuesday: Breaded Turkey Burger WW Bun Corn & Bean Salad Vegetable Sticks Pineapple Tidbits

Wednesday: RF Macaroni & Cheese, Seasoned Broccoli Carrot Raisin Salad Mixed Fruit Cup

Thursday: Chicken Nuggets WW Dinner Roll Mashed Potato Seasoned Carrots

Friday: WW Cheese Pizza Caesar Salad w/croutons Green Beans Orange Smiles

Daily alternative: Chicken caesar salad or garden salad w/protein, assorted deli sandwiches, Smuckers PB&J, sunflower butter & fluff, yogurt

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High School:

Breakfast: Hot breakfast egg sandwiches, bagels w/cream cheese, cereal, muffins, Chobani yogurt

Monday: WWGrilled Cheese Tomato Soup Vegetable Pasta Salad Grapes

Tuesday: Breaded Turkey Burger WW Bun Corn & Bean Salad Vegetable Sticks Pineapple Tidbits

Wednesday: RF Macaroni & Cheese, Seasoned Broccoli Carrot Raisin Salad Mixed Fruit Cup

Thursday: Chicken Nuggets WW Dinner Roll Mashed Potato Seasoned Carrots

Friday: WW Cheese Pizza Caesar Salad w/croutons Green Beans Orange Smiles

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Proposed congressional cuts will affect families you know

On the front lines of hunger

By Sharon Adelman
Crowley
Crier Correspondent

TEWKSBURY/WILMINGTON - New data from the U.S. Department of Agriculture confirms that hunger issues continue to threaten the economically unstable in the Commonwealth.

Approximately one in eight households in Massachusetts struggled with hunger between 2000 and 2011. Last year, 815,538 individuals in Massachusetts received food assistance from SNAP, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, formerly known as food stamps. Forty percent of these participants consisted of the elderly or disabled and forty-three percent were households with children, according to Health and Human Services. Yet despite the statistics, some members of Congress are still in favor of cutting billions of dollars from SNAP to reduce federal spending.

This means cutting food assistance to low-income families, seniors, and children; essentially harming the most vulnerable within the Commonwealth.

"Kids will pay the consequences, and that's not fair," said Debbie Mugford, Director of Food Services in Tewksbury's K-12 public schools. Her mission is to make sure students are eating. "Eating healthy means getting through the day," she said.

Repeated studies support the connection between students eating healthy meals and higher achievement in school, with improved concentration a direct result.

Mugford has seen an increase in students on the free and reduced lunch program. "More people are asking for help. I've processed more applications this year than in any year prior."

School districts are now required to have Virtual Gateway, a live database which tracks students who are on SNAP or receiving temporary assistance. Use of the live data ensures that eligible students and their siblings are in fact receiving free breakfast and lunch.

"We need parents to fill out the application for SNAP so no one is overlooked," Mugford said. As incentive, Tewksbury families who



Patty Haversat and Paula Phenix, both members of the Tewksbury Food Pantry Board of Directors, organized the food pantry and discussed some of the immediate needs on Tuesday evening.
(photo by Maureen Lamoureux-www.shootingstarspix.com)

filled out the application for their children were entered to win a free iPad. "Anyone who fills out an application, regardless of qualification, can enter," Mugford said. Once in the system, students who qualify for free or reduced lunches are identified, and receive two healthy meals during the school day.

Mary Palen, Administrator of Food Services for Wilmington K-12 public schools, says she has also seen an increase of students on the food program. She believes federal spending cuts will hit the bigger cities harder: Lawrence, Lowell, Fall River, Springfield, Lynn, and Boston.

Palen points out that portion sizes are now bigger. Every student on the program is required to take a fruit or vegetable with their lunch. "We're spending money for more nutritious lunches on each tray. Because we have such an abundance of people using these programs, my guess is that Congress has to cut somewhere."

Palen feels students won't be cut off completely from the food program, suggesting the school district would feel the burden instead. "Cuts won't come from the operating budget, however operating budgets will feel the impact because their reimbursements will be cut," she said. "Each district will probably get less money per student by cut-

ting reimbursement rates per breakfast or lunch."

"We feed everyone in need. Families can fill out the SNAP application online for their children to receive food."

This week, 4th grade students from Wilmington's North and West Intermediate schools shucked fresh ears of corn for the entire district as part of "Massachusetts Farm to School Week." The corn was grown on a local farm in Ipswich. Students attending the Heath Brook and Trahan elementary schools in Tewksbury also participated in Farm to School Week with a guest speaker from Brooksby Farm. The programs teach students where food comes from so they enjoy fruits and vegetables and make better choices during meals.

Various farmers markets across Massachusetts now accept SNAP so low-income families have access to more nutritional choices. It will take greater marketing efforts however to spread awareness about these opportunities.

Some families and seniors struggling with hunger may also be unaware that they are eligible to use their local food pantries.

"I think there are a fair amount of people on food assistance who do not know we exist," said Patty Haversat, Board of Directors volunteer for the

Tewksbury community food pantry. "We are here to help Tewksbury residents in need."

Haversat says the need for food distribution has remained steady for Tewksbury. The pantry receives assistance from the Merrimack Valley Food Bank in Lowell and the Massachusetts Emergency Food Assistance Program. Volunteers from the food pantry pick up food from both agencies once a week, and box them for distribution in Tewksbury three times a month.

Haversat says spring and summer months tend to yield fewer donations. "People think less about food drives during these months. We see more donations in the fall - around Thanksgiving - and during the holidays."

Wilmington's food pantry has seen a small increase over the past year. "We service approximately sixty Wilmington families a month," said volunteer Jomarie O'Mahony.

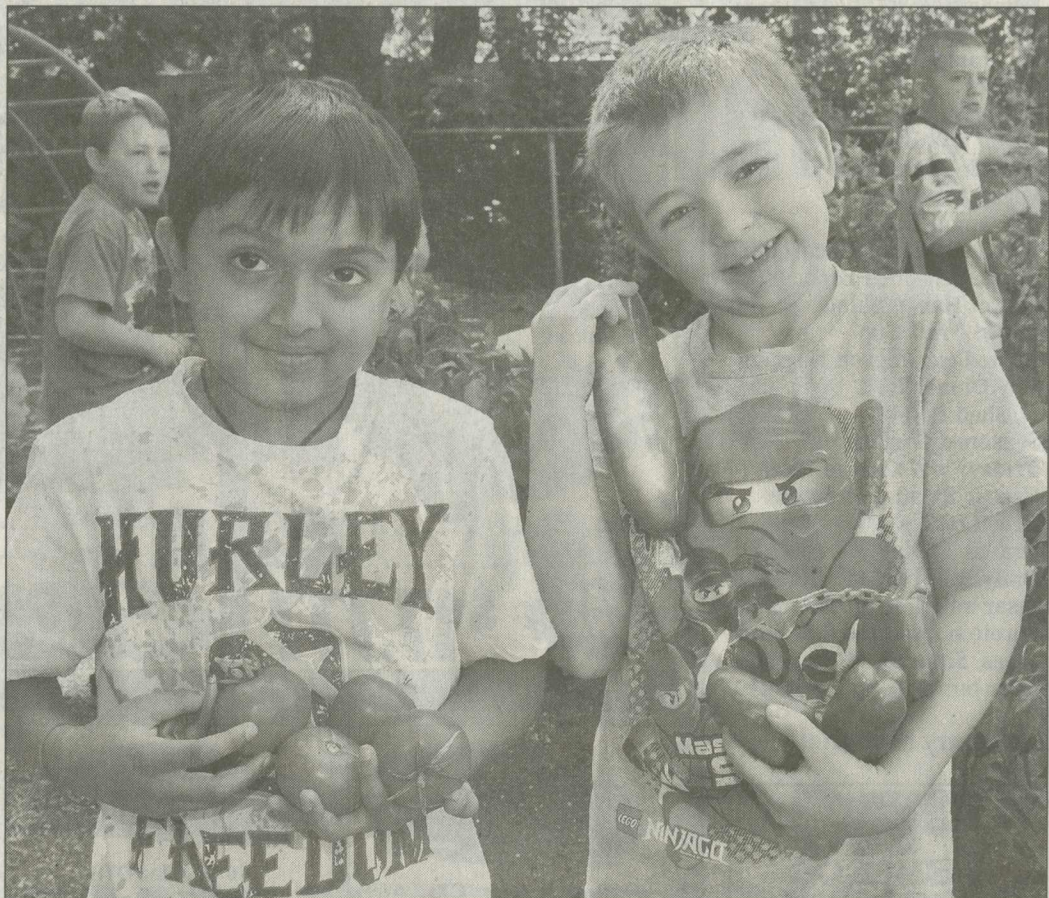
In particular, O'Mahony sees an increased need for food distribution in the fall as school starts. "We attribute this to children returning to school. They need lunches and snacks, as well as dinners that are easy to prepare at the end of the day. We try to focus on the kids during this time, by giving out extra juice boxes, lunch, and snack-type foods."

O'Mahony says if SNAP budgets are cut it will make an impact. "As with any reduction in assistance, we would anticipate an increase in the demand at the food pantry. We are lucky that the Wilmington food pantry solely relies on private donations through the generosity of the Wilmington community."

SNAP fills a critical financial gap for families on limited income. Participants currently using SNAP can put any money saved into rent and utilities. Reducing funds for food assistance, or excluding anyone from the program could cause severe financial hardship.

The Food and Research Action Center released poll results that found 75 percent of voters disagree with Congress cutting SNAP. Many say until the economy improves, there should be solutions, not cuts, to the food program.

For more information on the SNAP, visit mass.gov.



Showing off the harvest at the new Trahan garden, where teacher Susan Mulno transformed a playground into a garden, are (l-r) Mit Patel and Keegan Fink.
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MCAS results revealed

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94 percent of our 84 special needs students scored advanced or proficient in ELA with growth exceeding our overall state leading effort," said Shawsheen Superintendent Charlie Lyons in an email to the Crier. "This is all about a committed faculty and exceptionally hard working students. Out of 288 high schools; we rank 6 in average daily student attendance. Couple that with skilled teachers committed to their craft, results happen! I applaud our dedicated professionals and our goal oriented students for outstanding success. Amazing is an adjective Shawsheen is proud to display. Our Level 1 school is due to the support from local taxpayers and a School Committee comprised of individuals committed to excellence. I am humbled to be a small part of Shawsheen's incredible performance." Wilmington Superintendent

Joanne Benton told the Crier via email that the district is appealing the level 2 classification for the high school. According to the data, the DESE gave the designation for "low MCAS participation (less than 95 percent)." Kenneth Klau of the DESE's School Improvement Grant Programs confirmed in an email to the district that the status of the school is under appeal. The findings will be presented to the appeals committee for consideration. The DESE will contact the Superintendent via email once the decision is made. The other four schools given level 2 status in Wilmington were classified as such for "not meeting gap narrowing goals." The Woburn Street School is meeting gap-narrowing goals, and therefore received the level one classification. "I feel we are making progress," said Benton. "This is a composite [score] from 2009 to 2012. If you look at

progress from last year, we are in good shape toward reaching our goal." Percentile data was also issued for the grade span. For Wilmington, the North Intermediate performed in the 55th percentile, the West Intermediate performed in the 60th percentile, Wilmington Middle School performed in the 49th percentile and the high school performed in the 72 percentile. Shawsheen Tech performed in the 82 percentile. Most other districts in the Merrimack Valley also came in at level 2 including Andover, Billerica, Chelmsford, North Andover, North Reading, Reading, Tewksbury, and Westford. Lowell received a level 4 designation, which must be set by the Commissioner. Lawrence public schools were deemed the worst in the state with a level 5 designation, although no individual schools in Lawrence were rated at a level 5.

School Committee matters Evaluation changes

By Christine Kenney
Crier Correspondent

WILMINGTON - Mike Gilbert from the Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC) updated Wilmington's School Committee on three policy changes regarding the open meeting law, social media usage, and educator evaluations at the Sept. 12 meeting. Gilbert reminded committee members to be cautious when conducting conversations with one another outside of a public meeting. According to policy, a conversation—whether in person, on the telephone, or in email—between three or more committee members about School Committee matters violates the open meeting law. "It's when we start debating and deliberating about issues that are going to come in front of the board that we run into

problems," Gilbert said. Gilbert also informed the committee that if a resident claims the School Committee has violated the open meeting law, the issue will no longer immediately be dealt with by the Attorney General's Office. The issue will now be handled first at the local level, with the Committee attempting to mediate the situation before the assistance of the Attorney General's Office is needed. Additionally, Gilbert explained committee members must be clearer about why the committee is entering into executive session. If the session is intended to conduct collective bargaining, the committee must state the bargaining unit with whom the committee will be meeting. The mandatory release of minutes from the session must be publicly announced. Votes regarding the issue must be taken in a public meeting, outside of the session.

EVALUATIONS AND SOCIAL MEDIA
Educator evaluations have become more comprehensive, Gilbert said, adding the new evaluation will likely take more time for teachers to complete. Committee members will have a much more comprehensive evaluation to fill out regarding the superintendent's performance, as well. Gilbert also said student data will be included in the evaluations. "Initially it's going to be MCAS data. We're not looking at test scores. What we're looking at is growth data—if there is no growth that's not proficient or exemplary," Gilbert said. Committee member Mary Jane Byrnes expressed concern that educators would have less time to teach due to the many comprehensive surveys they are expected to fill out during the course of a school year. "The system will take all that in consideration. The design of the system, again, is for professional growth," Gilbert

said. The new system is expected roll out in Wilmington during the 2013-2014 school year. Gilbert also commented on a set of social media guidelines committee member Robert Hayes put together following an issue with public comment on his School Committee-related Facebook page in July. Gilbert said he thought Hayes' guidelines were very good, but he noted that social media can only benefit those who choose to use it. He did add that third-party-commenting on a School Committee page should be disabled.

COORDINATED PROGRAM REVIEW
Mary Houde, administrator for Special Education, reported on the district's special education coordinated program review, which the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) conducts to review local compliance within schools every six years with a special education follow-up mid-cycle. According to Houde, the review only showed three areas that need improvement: review and revision of individualized education plans (IEP), IEP development and content, and provision of the IEP to parents. Houde said the district was commended for continuous compliance reviews within the schools; a team of staff review three charts per school per week to check for consistency district-wide. Houde said, "We look through every aspect." And despite the three findings, the review results are fairly positive compared to prior reviews and compared to recent reviews in other districts. The School Committee then entered into executive session to negotiate with the school nurses, who attempted to protest about their desire to be included in the teachers' pay scale at the last School Committee meeting on Aug. 22.

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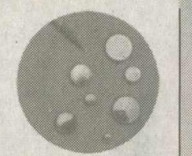
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Community starts here

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Wilmington Town Manager Michael Caira and upcoming Town Manager Jeff Hull will be at the fair from 10:30 to 1. As this is their last year involved in town government, it would be an excellent opportunity to come and say thank you for all they have done for the town.

The community fair also coincides with the date of the historical founding of the town. Wilmington was founded on September 25th, 1730, and the community fair will occur only a few days before Wilmington's birthday. Historical facts and information will be present at the community fair to commemorate Wilmington's history, and a "Wilmington through art" contest will feature local artists competing against each other to capture Wilmington in the form of art. The judges will be members of the Wilmington Arts Council.

Wilmington's history cannot all be captured in the form of written information at a table. To memorialize the Wilmington of old, long time residents will commemorate and share their stories, showcasing history through the medium of oral history. This amazing opportunity to hear about Wilmington's past from the people who lived through



Community Fair ideal for kids, adults

Freddie O'Brien got a henna tattoo on his arm by artist Nimmi Sehgal at the Wilmington Community Fair last year. Henna tattoos are back again this year, with much more.

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is a unique opportunity to relive the town's history in a medium not typically available. These oral history presentations will be captured on film for future viewing, fully becoming part of the town's historical narrative.

For those who would rather view Wilmington's history through the written word, a demonstration on how to access the newly digitized Town Crier will be conducted. With the Town Crier rendered digitally and stored online, residents are just a click away

from the long history of Wilmington, and by watching how this is done residents will be able to access Wilmington's written past.

In addition, a coloring book depicting Wilmington's history will be for sale at the community fair. Sold by the friends of the library, this coloring book will illustrate Wilmington's long history in graphic format. Proceeds will go to support the friends of the library. The fair will be held 10-1, September 22nd, and is contingent on the weather.



Tow Truck operators work to right what is left of the car driven by a 79 year old female, that rolled over on 93 North at Rte 125. The NH DHART Helicopter was called to transport her to a Tufts Medical Center with very serious injuries.

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Rollover on I-93

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Rescuers worked for thirty minutes to free the driver from the inverted car with the Jaws of Life. The woman was trapped upside down inside the vehicle with her legs under the dashboard. She was reportedly wearing her seatbelt.

Boston Medflight was not available, so the Dartmouth-Hitchcock Air Response

Team (DHART) out of Plymouth, NH responded to the scene. Andover Fire secured the helicopter landing zone at 200 Ballardvale, near the end of the same off ramp. This was the first time DHART responded to a scene in Wilmington.

The paramedic unit of Action Ambulance also assisted at the scene. The driver was transported

by DHART to Tufts Medical Center with serious injuries.

Troopers from the Massachusetts State Police Collision Analysis and Reconstruction Section and Crime Scene Services Section are conducting an investigation into the cause of the crash.

The units had left the scene and all lanes were opened by 5:55 p.m.

Need a better night's sleep?

Mattress sale fundraiser for band

By CHRISTINE KENNEY
WILMINGTON - While members of the Wilmington High School Band Parents and Friends Association are often found at football games selling popcorn to raise money, the group has ventured toward quite a different type of fundraiser this fall. On September 22, locals are invited to Villanova Hall (next to St. Thomas Church on Middlesex Avenue) to—well—get comfortable. The association and band students will be holding a mattress sale. According to Bob Fino, presi-

dent of the association and band parent community members can check out a variety of new Therapedic and Restonic mattress sets, ranging from \$200 to \$2,000.

The association teamed up with Custom Fundraising Solutions, to bring the unique event to town. Event-goers can enjoy a sampling of mattresses and order one direct from the factory at a 30 to 60 percent discounted rate. The mattresses are top quality and come with full factory warranties, Fino said. The association will receive a percentage

of sales, which will go directly toward scholarships, equipment, transportation needs, and other necessities for the Wildcat Band.

The goal is to raise \$5,000, a figure attained by Gloucester High School's football team when it participated in a similar event.

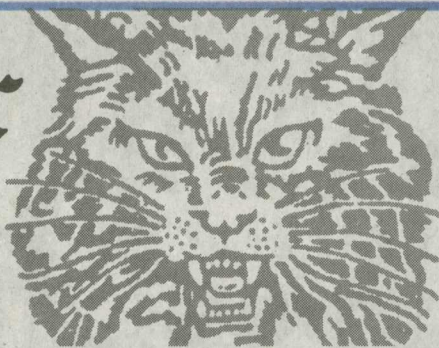
Professionals will be onsite to help buyers find the right mattress for them, but students will be helping out, handing out popcorn and water. The event will take place from 10 am to 5 pm.



The Wilmington Girls Soccer team recently played against Stoneham in a charity game to support Breast Cancer Research. Here, Wilmington's boys get into the act, sporting pink and the school color blue for the girls. (l-r) Cam Owens, Brendan McDonough and Dylan DiNatale.

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Wiffleball Tourney a success

Locals help raise \$2,500 for Murphy Family

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

One great aspect about living in the town of Wilmington is people are always there to help other people. Once again that was the case this past Saturday morning at the annual Knights of Columbus Wiffleball tournament.

The tournament, which featured five teams, raised nearly \$2,500 for the Murphy Family, in particular for their teenage son Mike, who been confined to a wheelchair after collapsing last year on his way to the Boston Bruins' Championship parade.

"We typically have the proceeds go back to our general charity fund, but this year all of the proceeds went to help the family of Mikey Murphy, whose story the town should be familiar with," said tournament director and former WHS wrestling great Justin Strem. "Mikey just returned home after over a year of hospitalization and rehab. He and his family were in attendance which was great."

The event held a silent auction from Sports World, as well as raffling off several items including a Boston Bruins autograph stick, signed and donated by the entire team. There were also baked goods donated from Big Pig Barbeque.

"All told, the fundraiser made nearly \$2,500 for the family to help with bills and transportation for Mikey," said Strem.

Also, besides the money that was raised, the Strem and the other tournament directors surprised the Murphy's with a "power recliner so that Mikey can sleep comfortably in his living room until his bedroom is renovated."

As for the tournament itself, there were five teams involved this year. The foursome of Jason Riley, Andrew Campbell, Mike Senarian and Chuck Osgood came in first place, thanks to a walk-off grand slam by Riley. That group defeated the group of Jared Constantino, Brendan

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Wilmington High junior Kaitlyn Curley gets tangled up with a Stoneham player during last Thursday's Varsity Soccer match played at WHS. The Wildcats went on to win. See page SP2W for details. (photo by JoeBrownphotos.com).

Football team holds off Waltham for first win

By MIKE IPPOLITO
Sports Correspondent

WALTHAM - After being held without a point in their season opener two weeks ago, the Wilmington High Football team scored early and often in their second game last Friday night, on their way to a 33-27 win over non-league rival Waltham.

The Wildcats were led by an outstanding effort from senior running back Justin MacKinnon, who ran for an

astounding 291 yards and four touchdowns, three of them in the first half as Wilmington jumped out to a 20-0 first half lead and then held on for the victory in a hard fought second half, thwarting a last gasp Waltham attempt with a key interception by defensive back Tim Woods with under a minute left in the game.

The win evened the Wildcats record at 1-1 on the season, while Waltham also

evened their record at 1-1 with the loss.

Wilmington coach Mike Barry could only shake his head in disbelief after the game, which will go down as a memorable win, but could easily have been a devastating loss.

"I really enjoyed that game, or at least I can really enjoy it now," Barry said. "That was a great game, but it was one that if we had lost it would have stuck with me for the rest of the year."

In their opener against Arlington, the Wildcats were never able to get in the end zone despite putting together some effective drives throughout the game. Against Waltham, they did not bother taking their time with long, sustained drives, instead getting on the scoreboard on just their third play from scrimmage when MacKinnon ran straight up the middle for a 70-yard touchdown run.

MacKinnon burst through the huge hole opened by offensive line and then out raced the Hawks secondary and went into the end zone untouched for a 6-0 lead with 9:35 still left in the first quarter after the failed extra point attempt.

After the Wildcats defense held Waltham on a fourth and two on their first possession, the offense once again took over and MacKinnon scored on what looked like an instant replay of his first score, except for the distance, as he went up the middle for a 45 yard touchdown run on just the second play of the series.

Wilmington once again missed the extra point, having this one blocked, but they held a 12-0 lead with

6:46 left in the first quarter.

Waltham looked to get something going on their next possession, as they picked up a first down on the Wilmington 37 yard line after a 26-yard pass from Dana Parello to Junior Chery.

But the Wilmington defense, led by big plays from Eli Jennings and Dave Caira once again forced Waltham to turn the ball over on downs and MacKinnon and the offense went right back to work.

A 30-yard run by MacKinnon gave the Wildcats a first down at the Wilmington 20 yard line and four plays later Wilmington got the job done through the air when sophomore quarterback James O'Regan connected on a 14-yard scoring pass to senior Eli Jennings on a fourth and three play on the first play of the second quarter.

It was a perfectly executed play with O'Regan rolling out to his right and hitting a wide open Jennings for the score. MacKinnon, who scored 26 points on the night, ran in the two point conversion for a 20-0 lead.

Waltham finally did get on the board on their next possession, capping an impressive five play, 70-yard drive with a 20-yard touchdown pass from Parello to Chery with 8:20 left in the half. Parello ran in the two point conversion to bring Waltham to within 20-8.

Waltham had seized the momentum and appeared ready to capitalize on it when they appeared to hold the Wildcats to a three and out on their next possession. But a roughing the kicker call on the Wildcats punt

attempt gave the ball back to Wilmington at the Waltham 38 yard line and they took full advantage of the opportunity, scoring three plays later on a 33-yard run by MacKinnon, who gained 226 yards in the first half alone. The lead now stood at 26-8 in favor of the Wildcats.

Waltham did not give up however, scoring on consecutive possessions to close the gap to 26-20. The Hawks scored on their final drive of the first half on a two yard run by Parello with 39 seconds left to close within 26-14 after a failed conversion attempt and they drew even closer on their first possession of the second half when new quarterback Richard Scanlon connected with Brendan Bonadio on a 60-yard bomb down the left sideline.

But Wilmington showed no signs of panic, putting together their best drive of the game on their next possession, with a 13 play, 85 yard drive capped by a four yard touchdown run MacKinnon for his fourth score of the game. O'Regan's extra point made the score 33-20 with 57 seconds left in the third quarter.

"That was big for us to come back and score the way we did right there," Barry said. "They had some momentum going, but we responded well and put together a nice drive."

Waltham came right back on their next drive, however, closing to within 33-27 on a 10-play 63 yard drive capped off by a 22-yard scoring pass from Scanlon to Nick Neshe with 7:12 left in the game.

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The Wilmington and Stoneham High School Soccer teams helped raise nearly \$1,300 for the Susan B. Komen Foundation during last Thursday's game.

WHS Sports Round-Up

Three Wildcat teams still unbeaten

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

The Wilmington High School Girls' Soccer team kept up its unbeaten streak this past week, first knocking off Stoneham 3-1, before topping Watertown 2-0 on Tuesday afternoon to bring the team's overall record to 4-0-1.

While the returning Middlesex League Small School Champions are off to a strong start, head coach Sue Hendee said Tuesday's performance was a little bit of a lackluster.

"We just didn't play well," she said. "These girls have to learn that every team in the Middlesex League is capable of beating anyone else. Watertown was a tough team. They have speed up front and they are a tough, physical team. They may not be the most skilled team, but one mistake somewhere could be costly, and we're lucky that didn't happen to us (on Tuesday)."

Cassie Grasso scored the team's first goal, set up by Rachael Mara, who then in turn scored the much needed insurance tally on an assist from Ashleigh Howland, who continues to have a terrific season.

"Ashleigh has really stepped it up so far this season," said Hendee.

Howland scored one of the three goals in the team's win over Stoneham played Thursday night at home. She was assisted by Lauren Amazeen, while, teammate Alex Bischoff scored the other two goals with both helpers going to Holly Niemiec. Kim Woods and Kellie Souza split the duties in the net and both made four saves, while Hendee pointed out that Grasso and Jackie Parece both played well.

During the game against Stoneham, the two teams held a fundraiser, where \$1,300 was raised in honor of the Susan B. Komen Fund.

"We had a real good crowd and there was lots of pink in the audience which was pretty neat," said Hendee. "The Stoneham parents had a bake sale, and then the Wilmington parents had a 50-50 raffle, and pink t-shirts and bracelets were made and sold. The Wilmington Senior Parents did a lot, but I just thought it was a really nice night all around. The Wilmington Under 14 Girls soccer team played between the JV and Varsity games, our three teams, including the Freshmen team was there, and I just thought it was a really nice night for both communities."

BOYS SOCCER

The Wildcat Boys also kept up with the Girls Soccer team by remaining unbeaten with a pair of scoreless ties, first against Stoneham last Thursday and then

Watertown on Tuesday afternoon. The two ties puts the team's record at 2-0-3 overall.

"Yes it's a concern," said head coach Steve Scanlon on the fact that his team hasn't scored a goal in the past 160 minutes. "Of course you have to score goals to win games. I would really be concerned if we weren't creating chances but we have been. We have been putting a lot of pressure on teams, especially Stoneham, and we just haven't been able to finish. We're going to keep working on it."

Scanlon pointed out two flaws that his team has offensively. One he said, is the forwards don't shoot enough, and two when strong thrower Kory McGilvary unleashes his bombs through the middle of the opposing defenses, only one of his players is brave enough to get into the action.

"The strikers don't shoot," he said. "If you're playing a game and at the end of it, you haven't taken a shot on net, something is wrong. That's your job as a striker is to shoot the ball, so we have to concentrate on that, having the forwards shoot the ball."

"And when we get the big throw from Kory, the only one who does anything with it is (Chris) Michelangelo and he can't do it alone. I don't know if the other kids are uncomfortable getting after the ball, but he's the only one doing it and we need help."

Yet despite the problems offensively, the defense has been incredible, posting the team's third and fourth straight shut outs, and now going at least 360 minutes without giving up a goal.

"The defense has been playing very well," said Scanlon. "(Jared) Walsh, (Connor) Townsend, Kory (McGilvary), Michelangelo, (Mitchell) DeAmbrose at defensive mid and (Adam) Cocculuto off the bench has been playing very well, too. They all defend pretty well and (keeper) Luke (Foley) has been real solid."

FIELD HOCKEY

A third Wildcat team is also currently unbeaten as the Varsity Field Hockey team went 2-0-1 this past week pushing the team's record to 3-0-2 overall.

The terrific week started with a 2-1 win over Reading, a usual Middlesex League powerhouse. The game was scoreless through the first half and then in the second half, Emily Colosimo scored on a set up by Amanda Richards, and then it was Richards scored an unassisted goal midway through the half. Reading was able to get on the scoreboard with eight minutes to go, and also put on pressure down the stretch

but the Wildcats, in particular goalie Casey Herra (13 saves) were up to the task of coming away with another win.

"It was a good game, a tough game," said interim coach Leanne Ebert. "It was hot and we were on turf which makes a difference, especially when we're used to playing and practicing on grass. Our defense played very well and the offensive players were able to get their sticks on the ball and score."

Ebert added that several players really came through with tremendous performances.

"Richards played well, playing both forward and midfielder. She did a nice job 'switching gears' from one position to another. In addition, Herra played well in the net and (Lauren) Fitch had a great game defensively."

On Monday, Wilmington ended in a 1-1 tie with Ipswich in a non-league game played on the road. Rachel Alatalo scored the lone Wildcat goal coming four minutes into the game.

"Although all the forwards played well, Rachel Alatalo had a particularly good game," said Ebert. "She worked hard moving the ball up the field and sending it into the circle. Megan Howland also had a strong game at midfield. She has the ability to stay calm and controlled in intense situations, this coupled with her leadership skills, is extremely important in competitive game situations."

Ipswich came back to tie the game five minutes later and the scored remained tied the rest of the way. Both teams had chances to score as Ipswich held a 17-8 advantage in shots, and Ebert said her forwards were moving the ball nicely.

"The forwards worked well together, hustling to block up free hits, passing and trying to get shots off," she said. "As I've said before, we're still a young squad and we're still getting used to each other and that comes into play in close games."

Then on Tuesday, Wilmington blanked Stoneham 3-0 behind two goals from Colosimo and one from Julia Carter. Colosimo and Carter also picked up single assists as did Nicole McInerney.

CROSS COUNTRY

Both the Girls and the Boys Cross Country teams dropped its first two meets of the season. Last Wednesday, the Girls lost to Woburn 22-33 and the Boys fell 26-33, and then Tuesday against a very good Lexington program, the Girls were defeated 19-36 and the Boys lost 18-44.

Starting with the Girls, the loss to Woburn was disap-

pointing, but several individuals had very solid performances especially for the season opener. Sydnee Russo (21:07 for three miles), Nicole Romanzo (22:18) and Kate Richardson (22:19) finished third, sixth and seventh overall.

"Sydnee ran a very gutsy race against two very good Woburn runners, and this was Nicole's best race in a while. She has me excited about what she can do this season. And Kate was coming back from an injury and her performance showed determination to help the team."

After the top three, the rest of the Wildcat finishers included Michelle Barnes (9th, 22:34), Maevie Sullivan (10th, 22:47) and then Keara MacCorkle and Jackie Ryan.

In the loss to Lexington, freshman Callie O'Connell finished first for Wilmington and third overall with a time of 20:44. She was followed by Russo (6th, 21:23), Richardson (8th, 22:31), Sullivan (9th, 22:26), Nicole Romanzo (10th, 22:46) and MacCorkle (11th, 23:10).

"Lexington is a very strong team and our girls ran very well all the way through the roster," said Bradley.

Turning to the Boys team, Wilmington had three of the top six finishers in the meet against Woburn but the Tanners dominated the middle portion of finishers to come away with the seven point victory. Steve Halas won the race coming in at 16:33, and he was followed by Erik Alatalo, who was third at 16:45.

"Steve was able to win the race only after an all out sprint the last 200 meters or so," said Bradley. "His hard work is reaping dividends. Erik showed that he is a very competitive runner this year in the league. I think both Steve and Erik will break the boy's course record this year."

Andrew Sears followed by taking sixth overall at 17:22, with Adam Maienza 3th in 19:50 and his brother Chris Maienza 15th in 22:48.

"This is the first year of cross country for both bothers and they should get better and better," said Bradley.

Christian Houde and Mike Ferrara were 16th and 17th overall.

"The top three allowed us to compete but we need help with four through seven to win. Woburn has a great course to run at Horn Pond and put on a well organized and safe meet."

Then on Tuesday, Wilmington was defeated 18-44 by Lexington. Alatalo finished with a personal record at 16:56, good for third place overall. He was followed by Andrew Sears (8th, 18:48), Adam Maienza (10th, 19:37), Dan Fothergill (21:17) and Chris Maienza (21:30).

OMISSION

In last week's WHS Girls Cross Country team preview, freshman Annie Romanzo's name was inadvertently left off the roster. She was a member of the team last year and returns this year providing depth to the varsity line-up.

VOLLEYBALL

The Wildcats were defeated by Stoneham, 3-0, last Friday. The Spartans swept the match with scores of 25-10, 26-24 and 25-14. Christa Brent had a nice performance defensively with seven digs, while Lauren Bennett finished with six blocks.

Wilmington Youth Hockey weekend wrap-up

Pee Wee 1

Wilmington 2, Nashoba 1

After slow start, the Wildcats showed they were the grittier team by mounting a steady comeback completely the win and raising the record to 3-0 on the season.

The Nashoba squad came out quick and jumped to a 1-0 lead after one period of play. The wildcats then dug in deep with their best effort to chip away at the lead with a goal Jerry Bazile set up at the hands Max Shapiro and Kyle Bolis. The hero's goal was scored by Mike Fiorenza with the nice set up from Jerry Bazile.

How good has the goalie tandem of Shane Ahlin and Steve Bowker? Four goals against in 3 games, that good. Shane held the Cats in the game through the first period when his team in front of started a little flat. Steve Bowker was the closer and shut the door on Nashoba playmakers.

The two goals scored did not represent opportunities created by the Wildcat offense. Dean Nally and Tom King did their usual goal hawking around the net. Nolan Fitzgerald continues to play some of his best hockey in his young career, playing penalty free and adding a huge back check in the closing moments of the game to prevent an attempted comeback from Nashoba. Chris Roberge and Pat Baker filled out the line with a relentless forecheck carrying the play into the offensive zone.

Calvin Stafford, Justin Ely and Carl Beatrice played a solid game with good team work passing and responsible positional play.

The defense pairings and goalies were the story of the day. Butchy Duffy and Dylan Wargo were lock down along with the rest of the defenseman.

Squirt 3

Wilmington vs Reading

Wilmington started off strong with a few solid scoring chances in the first minute of the game. The Reading goalie turned aside some nice shots and some serious pressure to keep Wilmington off the board.

Wilmington kept the pressure on throughout the period and broke through with an unassisted goal by Brendon George to take a 1-0 lead. Later in the period the line of Brendan Kelley, Anthony Savage, and Liam Prigmore put Wilmington up 2-0.

The goal was generated by some solid blue line play by Justin Healy as he broke up the Reading rush. Anthony Savage then chopped the puck out of a scrum along the boards to send Brendan Kelley in on a partial breakaway. Kelley didn't disappoint as he buried the puck to secure the lead.

Late in the first period, Reading struck back with a play out of the corner, the Reading forward slipped through the Wilmington defense and backhanded a shot past Perault. First period ended with Wilmington clinging to a 2-1 lead.

The second period started off like the first as the Wilmington forwards Prigmore, Bazile and Alworth pressured Reading. Reading was able to somehow turn the tide and mount some pressure of their own. Chase Perault was up to the task and turned aside any shots Reading was able to get through.

Brendon Goerge was sent to the penalty box towards the end of the end of the second period on a hustle play that resulted in a questionable call. Chirichiello, Healy and Gates dominated the penalty kill from the defensive position and Reading could not muster a shot on net during the power play. The second period ended with Wilmington leading 2-1.

Wilmington put the game away in the third. Perault came up huge on a first minute breakaway by Reading. Perault cut the

angle and ate up the breakaway shot. The save clearly lifted the Wilmington team. After strong play by Alworth in the neutral zone, Brendon George pounced on the puck and buried a goal for a 3-1 Wilmington lead.

A few minutes later the long reach of Jonathan Bazile came into play as he pounced on a rebound and buried the puck on the corner of the net for a 4-1 lead. Wilmington was on a roll now.

Brendon George completed a Hat Trick with his third goal halfway through the third period. The crowd was cheering wildly as the players celebrated the trick. George then buried his 4th goal of the game to complete the scoring and Wilmington took the game with a final score of 6-1.

Squirt 2's

Wilmington 7, Arlington 0

The Wildcat Squirt 2's began where they left off last week with another solid game and victory, crushing Arlington, a perennial powerhouse, 7-0.

The highlights of the game include a shutout by the 'Cats goalie and Captain, Max Churchill. He once again proved that sacrificing the body in the name of hockey reaps it's rewards, making saves that made it, all possible.

James Kourkoutas made the team's life, as well as Max's life, a little easier by logging a hat trick, scoring three goals to with his brother Peter who logged one last week. Joey Cornish proved his passing prowess with three assists in the game, logging the just as famous and important.

The game started on the fast and hard Ice of Veteran's Memorial Ice Rink in Arlington with a classic, hard, low, on the ice shot from Jason Davey assisted by Cornish half way thru the first period to start the game putting the 'Cats up by one.

Arlington came back strong with up the ice passes but Joey Pastore was there to get a stick on it or run them down, preventing a full blown breakaway. Pastore's stick-with-it playing would later get him an assist heading the other way. Connor Hill wasted nothing in his skating up and down the ice, giving the 'Cats some leadership and depth.

It was a defensive standoff with Ryan Packer and Peter Kourkoutas completely shutting down Arlington's hope of ever getting it out of their zone. That gave James the opportunity to log his first of three goals to end the first period, assisted by Cornish.

The second period was a horse race with solid defense by the "Black and Blue" lines. Bryan Davey was a standout with picture perfect back handed passes and shots that wasted no time getting it on net and picture perfect passes to his team mates. Poise and position were his calling.

It wasn't until Ryan Ackerley turned on the jets, assisted by Ryan Packer, did Wilmington go on the board in the second, putting the score 3-0. However, it was once again the third period that proved the 'Cats mettle.

Behind the playmaking skills of Nate Packer, the 'Cats were able to exert their dominance. Taking his cues from the Greats, Guy LaFleur and Rocket Richard, Packer showed that possession is 99% of the law. Patrick Callahan showed how to hit the top left corner with a low circle shot assisted by Joey P. to put the game at 4-0.

James then netted his second and third goals assisted by Evan Munro and Joey Cornish to garner the coveted hat trick. And of course, in Wilmington's hallmark, never give up till the slightly weight challenged lady sings, Evan Munro played the whistle, wrestled the puck from the pack out front to score Wilmington's sev-

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Wilmington Wildcat Girls Travel Basketball League has announced its tryout dates for girls entering Grades 5 through 8.

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8th Grade: 7:30-9:00 PM (Thursday 10/04/12)
6th Grade: 6:00-7:30 PM (Tuesday 10/09/12)
8th Grade: 7:30-9:00 PM (Tuesday 10/09/12)

5th Grade*: 6:00-7:30 PM (Thursday 10/11/12)

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Football Box Score and Stats

WILMINGTON 33, WALTHAM 27

Wilmington	(1-1)	12	14	7	0	-33
Waltham	(0-2)	00	14	6	7	-27

WI: Justin MacKinnon 70 run (kick failed)
 WI: MacKinnon 45 run (kick blocked)
 WI: Eli Jennings 14 pass from James O'Regan (MacKinnon rush)
 WA: Junior Chery 20 pass from Dana Parelo (Parelo rush)
 WI: MacKinnon 33 run (rush failed)
 WA: Parelo 2 run (pass failed)
 WA: Brendan Bonadio 60 pass from Richard Scanlon (rush failed)
 WI: MacKinnon 4 run (O'Regan kick)
 WA: Nick Neshe 22 pass from Scanlon (kick is good)

Team Statistics

First Downs: Wilmington 11; Waltham 14
 Rushes/Yards: Wilmington 30-320; Waltham 28-135
 Pass-Att-Int: Wilmington 1-6-0 Waltham 15-25-1
 Passing Yards: Wilmington 14; Waltham 284
 Total Yards: Wilmington 334; Waltham 419
 Fumbles-lost: Wilmington 0-0; Waltham 0-0
 Penalties-yards: Wilmington 0-0; Waltham 3-30
 Punts - Avg: Wilmington 1-41; Waltham 2-36

Individual Statistics

Rushing: WI, Justin MacKinnon 25-291, 4 TD's, Eli Jennings 3-15, James O'Regan 2-14; WA, Carlos Ramirez 10-59, Junior Chery 9-54, Richard Scanlon 5-13, Dana Parelo 5-13, 1 TD.
 Passing: WI, O'Regan 1-6-0, 14 yards, 1 TD; WA, Parelo 8-13-0, 141 yards, 1 TD, Scanlon 7-12-1, 143 yards, 2 TD's.
 Receiving: WI, Jennings 1-14, 1 TD; WA, Junior Chery 8-132, 1 TD, Brandon Donadio 3-80, 1 TD, Ramirez 1-33, Nick Neshe 1-22, 1 TD, Ryan LaFauce 1-10, Steven Sainvil 1-7.

Season Stats

Score by Quarters

Wilmington	12	14	7	0	-33
Opponents	00	28	6	14	-48

Team Statistics

First Downs: Opponents 22; Wilmington 21
 Rushes-Yards: Opponents 64-256; Wilmington 57-427
 Pass-Att-Int: Opponents 20-32-1; Wilmington 7-20-3
 Passing Yards: Opponents 376; Wilmington 91
 Total Yards: Opponents 632; Wilmington 518
 Fumbles-lost: Opponents 0-0; Wilmington 3-3
 Penalties-Yards: Opponents 6-65; Wilmington 4-25

Season Stats

Rushing: Justin MacKinnon 39-369, 4 TDs; Eli Jennings 7-32; James O'Regan 8-12; Sam Silva 2-9; Sam Borseti 1-5.
 Passing: James O'Regan 7-for-19, 91 yards, 1 TD, 2 INTs; Pat Barry 0-for-1, 0 yards.
 Receiving: Sam Borseti 3-54; Eli Jennings 1-14, TD; Tim Woods 1-8; Brian Priem 1-8; Justin MacKinnon 1-7.

Compiled by Mike Ippolito

MacKinnon has huge night

By MIKE IPPOLITO
Sports Correspondent

WALTHAM - Last week's season opening loss to Arlington was a game that senior running back Justin MacKinnon and the rest of the Wilmington High Football team were eager to put behind them.

MacKinnon lost a fumble as part of a six turnover game for the Wildcats who were shutout 21-0 on their home field.

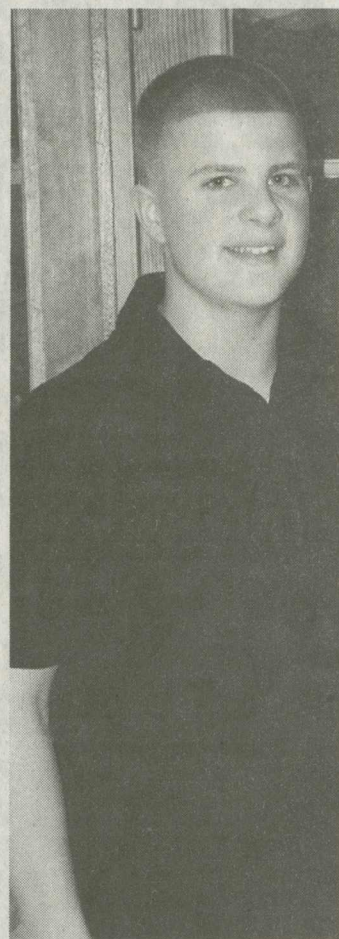
What a difference a week made for both the Wildcats as a team and MacKinnon as an individual. On Friday night on the road against Waltham the Wildcats bounced back from that season opening defeat to earn a hard fought 33-27 victory.

There were many reasons the Wildcats got back on the winning track, but none were bigger than MacKinnon, who ran for 291 yards and four touchdowns to lead Wilmington into the win column for the first time this season.

MacKinnon had touchdown runs of 70, 45, 32 and 4 yards, the 70-yarder coming on the third play from scrimmage in the game and the 45-yarder coming not long thereafter.

Wilmington coach Mike Barry was impressed with MacKinnon's resiliency against Waltham after a tough opening week.

"He came back and showed the type of kid that he is,"



JUSTIN MACKINNON

Barry said. "A lot of kids might hang their head feel sorry for themselves, but Justin came right back and did not let it affect him."

MacKinnon seemed to get over any lingering doubts from last week almost immediately. On the Wildcats third play from scrimmage, MacKinnon took a hand-off from quarterback

James O'Regan and burst through the middle of the offensive line on his way to a 70 yard touchdown run.

He had barely caught his breath from that run, when on the second play of the Wildcats next possession, he scored on a virtually identical play, this time from 45 yards out with 6:50 left in the first quarter. At that point the Wildcats led 12-0 and MacKinnon had rushed for 134 yards on four carries.

"I have to give all the credit to the offensive line," MacKinnon said of his ability to take the all up the middle the way he did. "They opened up holes all night and those holes were huge. Everyone was taking care of their assignments and doing what they had to do."

The fast start was critical not just for MacKinnon, but for the entire team. After having been held out of the end zone for the entire opening game, putting up 12 points in the first four minutes of the game was a nice change.

"That felt good. We needed it," MacKinnon said. "It gave us a spark and got us going in the right direction."

That direction continued later in the half. After the teams had traded touchdowns to give the Wildcats a 20-8 lead, MacKinnon helped them extend the lead to 26-8 with a 33 yard sweep for a touchdown with 3:51 left in the first half.

But MacKinnon did not stop there. After Waltham had closed to within 26-20 with touchdowns on consecutive drives, he and the Wildcats put together a clutch 85 yard drive to once again extend their lead to two scores.

MacKinnon rushed for 60 of the 85 yards on the drive and Barry said it was important for the team to respond in that situation.

"That was big for us to come back and score the way we did right there," Barry said. "They had some momentum going, but we responded well and put together a nice drive."

As great a night as MacKinnon had, he did not know just how great until the game was over. He knew he had put up some yards, but 291 had never occurred to him. In fact, he was not counting at all.

"I was actually kind of surprised," MacKinnon said. "I was not focused on my stats, I was just focused on winning."

And win they did. MacKinnon knows it will not get any easier with a road game against Masconomet on the horizon for this week-end, but he is looking forward to the challenge.

"We just have to work hard and prepare every week," MacKinnon said. "It felt good to get a win, but now we have to put it behind us and get ready for Masco."

Wildcats hold off Waltham for first win

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Waltham had a chance to tie or take the lead in the final minutes driving from their own nine yard line to the Wilmington 33 with 1:05 left in the game.

But on their next play, Woods seemed to come out of nowhere to step in front of the Waltham receiver for an

interception to seal the victory for the Wildcats, picking off the pass at the five yard line and returning it all the way to the Waltham 35 yard line with 46 seconds left in the game.

The win was huge for the Wildcats in many ways despite being a non-league

game. First of all, it got them into the win column for the first time on the season, and secondly it showed they could bounce back after last week's mistake filled defeat where they turned the ball over six times in their shutout loss.

"What we talked about all

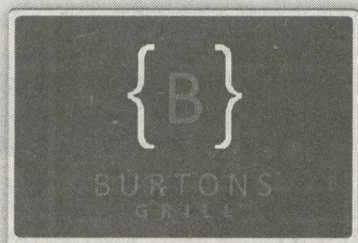
week is that we did not play out best game last week and we had to come out and limit our mistakes," Barry said. "Last week was not indicative of what we can do and the kids came out and showed that tonight."

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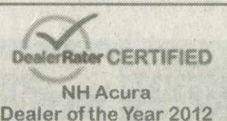
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Golfers drop a couple of tough matches

By MIKE IPPOLITO
Sports Correspondent

The Wilmington High was very busy this past week, playing in three matches, and while they went only 1-2 during those matches, they won their only Middlesex League Small match of the week, and played well in their two losses.

In the Wildcats most recent match, on Tuesday afternoon at Hillview Country Club, they dropped a hard fought 42-30 decision to Reading of the Middlesex Large School Division.

The match was actually much closer than the final score indicated, as the Wildcats were tied at 27-27 heading into the final two matches of the afternoon before undefeated Reading, who has already beaten Woburn and Lexington, pulled away.

"I thought we played really well," Wilmington coach Steve Lynch said. "It was a wind, rainy day but the kids played well. Unfortunately we could not pull off the shocker. It would have been a big one."

Junior Ryan McEvoy shot a 38 to lead the Wildcats, followed by seniors Jeff Favuzza and Andrew Morris who each shot a 39.

On Monday, the Wildcats improved to 2-0 in the Middlesex Small with an impressive 45-27 win over Watertown. McEvoy once again led the way for the Wildcats, shooting an even par 36 to take home medalist honors. McEvoy's outstanding effort included an eagle on the par 5 first hole.

Favuzza was next for Wilmington with a 39, while Mike Chiricosta came in at 42.

A surprise star for the Wildcats was senior Andrew Morris who shot a 39. That, along with his great day against Reading, gave Morris 39's in consecutive tournaments.

"Andrew played seven or eight for us last year, but he has really come around for us this year," Lynch said. "Shooting 39 in back to back matches is quite an accomplishment. He has really stepped up his game."

McEvoy of course has stepped up his game for the entire season. His 36 was just the latest example in what has been an outstanding season. Favuzza, Chiricosta and Matt Boutoures have also been consistent all season long.

"Those four guys have really locked down the top four spots and are playing very well or us," Lynch said.

Wilmington also got several outstanding efforts last Friday in their loss to non-league rival Amesbury, a former Cape Ann League rival.

McEvoy led the way for the Wildcats with a 40, while Favuzza, Morris and Boutoures each shot a 42, but Wilmington still fell by a score of 187-177.

With a 2-3 record at this point in the season, the Wildcats appear primed for a strong finish to the season. They will be looking to get on that late season roll starting Thursday when they take on Burlington, last season's Middlesex Small champion, as they handed the Wildcats their only league loss.

In recent years the Wildcats have struggled out of the gates, but at nearly .500 overall at this point in the season, Lynch is confident his team can finish strong.

"This is usually when we start making our move," Lynch said. "We hope to do that against Burlington. Then we have two more league matches after that, so by the end of next week we should know where we stand and the league should be pretty much settled by then."



The annual Wilmington Knights of Columbus Wiffleball Tournament was held on Saturday to help raise money for the Murphy Family. Tournament Director Justin Strem, far left, poses with the winning team who holds the trophy and those members include from left, Jason Riley, Andrew Campbell, Mike Senarian, and Chuck Osgood. (courtesy photo)

Wiffleball Tourney a complete success

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Strem, Mikey Fay and Kyle Burns by a 4-0 score thanks to the grand slam. The game was scoreless after six innings behind the pitching

of Fay and Senarian, but tournament rules say teams have to switch pitchers after six innings and that's when Riley belted his shot.

Justin Strem said he wanted to thank all five of the teams who participated as well as the work of the members of the Knights of

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Wilmington Pop Warner Football Round-Up

The Wilmington Wildcats C team moved to 2-0 on the season by defeating Arlington 26-0.

The Wildcat defense recorded its second shutout of the season and was dominant from the opening kickoff to the final whistle. The defense was led by Pete Marino who had a monster game. Marino had three tackles, a sack and an interception return for a touchdown in the second half that seemed to extinguish any chance of an Arlington comeback. The Wilmington defense recorded two sacks, one interception, 13 tackles-for-loss and held Arlington to no first downs for the entire game.

The Wildcats won the coin toss and elected to receive. For the second time in two games, the offense had a quick, four-play drive that culminated in a long touchdown run. RB John Kenney carried three times on the drive that was capped off with a 32 yard touchdown run. Kenney finished the game with 128 yards rushing on only 11 carries and scored his second touchdown of the season. Mikey Daley booted through his first P.A.T. attempt for the season to put the Wildcats up 8-0.

The defense took the field and completely dominated an over-matched Arlington squad. Linebackers Braden Hiltz (3.5 tackles, 1 tackle-for-loss, 1 sack), Blake Hiltz (5 tackles, 2 tackles-for-loss), Joey Dumoulin (five tackles) and Mark Companeschi (2.5 tackles) flew around the field shutting down the Arlington ground game.

After making some halftime adjustments, a rejuvenated Wildcats squad took to the field holding onto an 8-0 lead and exploded for three more touchdowns.

After stopping Arlington on their first possession of the second half, the offense took the field and quarterback Andrew Sullivan led the team on a five play drive that culminated with a 22 yard touchdown strike from Sullivan to tight end Andrew Brandenburg.

After four runs from Kenney

and Fullback Kyle Penney (5 carries, 15 yards, 1.5 tackles) went for 30 yards, Wilmington found itself facing a 4th and 6 from the Arlington 22 yard line. Taking the snap, Sullivan backed up, facing blitz pressure from the defense and fired a perfect strike to Tight End Brandenburg who fought through a tackle and dragged a defender before breaking free and streaking into the end zone. The P.A.T. was no good so the Wildcats led 14-0 at the end of the third quarter.

The defense took the field with a 14-0 lead and that is where the play of the game happened. Backed up deep in their zone, Arlington attempted a pass that was tipped by Defensive Tackle Kyle Kenyon (2.5 tackles, 1 tackle-for-loss) and snatched out of the air by Nose Tackle Peter Marino who made the leaping grab and darted 11 yards into the end zone. The Wildcats led 20-0.

After failing to score on their next offensive drive, the Wildcats gave up the ball to Arlington who was still unable to advance. The defensive line, led by Defensive Ends Frankie Irizarry (3.5 tackles), Andrew Brandenburg (3 tackles, 2 tackles-for-loss) and Defensive Tackles Marino, Kenyon, Brett Chisholm (2.5 tackles), Nolan Fitzgerald and Michael Smolinsky were in the Arlington backfield wreaking havoc.

Defensive backs Michael Ducharme (2.5 tackles), Timmy Rivers (1.5 tackles), Justin Fraser (1 tackle) and Mikey Daley (2 tackles) were solid in containing any chance of an Arlington passing attack.

On fourth down, Ryan Brewer returned the punt 18 yards to give the Wildcats solid field position for their last drive of the game. Wilmington had an eight-play, 51 yard drive that was capped with a Braden Hiltz 25 yard touchdown score. That touchdown put the Wildcats up 26-0 and that was the final score of the game.

The offensive line was led by Kyle Kenyon at center, Blake

POP WARNER PG SP9W



The Wilmington Pop Warner E Team's Offensive Line played terrific once again during this past weekend's game, and below, quarterback Evan Witalisz hands the ball off to running back Joe McCauly during the same game.

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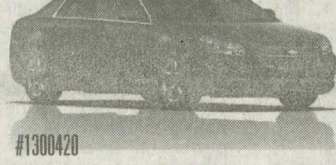


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Dan Vassallo, has been writing advice columns in the Town Crier for the past few weeks offering tips to runners before Sunday's Wilmington Road Race.

With the Wilmington Half-Marathon and 5K taking place this Sunday at 10:10 AM from the WCTV Headquarters, we hope you make the decision to sign up for the race if you have not already done so. We also hope you are properly trained for the race, because virtually nothing you do in the last four days of the race is more important than what you've already done in terms of your performance. These tips, however, might be helpful.

Nutrition: While there's been

some traction toward having lots of carbohydrates two nights before instead of the night before, I'm still sticking with the time-honored theory of an earlier pasta dinner on Saturday night. You should be done with your pasta by the time the sun goes down. The day of, you should have probably a light breakfast, 20 ounces of water, 20 ounces of sports drink, and no more than your normal caffeine intake. I'd say "no caffeine," but I'll admit that I drink an energy drink two-to-three hours before every race.

Nutrition Don'ts: Overeating, alcohol, excessive water consumption, acids (including most juice), dairy, carbonated soft drinks, especially within an hour of the race. Most people

avoid coffee the morning of the race as well.

Sleep: The most important night of sleep for this race is Friday night. Try to get 125% of your normal night's sleep on Friday night, and aim for 80-100% the night before. If you sleep more than 100% the night before, you might wake up groggy and unprepared to compete.

Physical Preparedness: The important part of your training is already done. Whatever extra you do now will take away from what you have left for the race. Run a few miles at least some of the next three days to keep your blood going and the motion familiar. But if you're doing an intense track workout on Friday, you're shooting yourself in the foot. Try not to do yard work on

Saturday. Dress properly on Sunday.

Mental Preparedness: Trust your training. Keep your goal in mind. Don't become too excited and go out too fast, especially in the half. Find a good sports movie (my picks are Rocky IV, Without Limits, Prefontaine, For Love of the Game, or Days of Thunder).

If it rains, consider the following:

• The 2011 Red Sox and many of your fellow runners don't compete in the rain. You are tougher.

• You trained for too long to let rain ruin your day.

• The last time both men's and women's course records fell in Wilmington was during a driving 2008 rain storm.

• Your rain jacket is awaiting you at the finish line. Good luck on Sunday.

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

INVITATION TO BID

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until:
Thursday, October 11, 2012 at 11:30 A.M.

at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following contract:

Town Facility HVAC Services, PW-13-08

Scope of Work consists of providing said Service for the Town of Tewksbury (see invitation to bid for more information). Bid Information and Bid Forms will be made available at the above offices after 8:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 26, 2012.

\$5.00 check required for shipping if documents are to be mailed. A pre-bid meeting will be held on Thursday October 4, 2012 at 11:00 A.M. at the Tewksbury Town Hall at 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA

The Town of Tewksbury reserves the right to reject, accept, or extend any or all bids if it is in the best interest of the Town.

Richard A. Montuori
Town Manager
05559510 9/19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE TRIAL COURT MIDDLESEX PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT 208 CAMBRIDGE STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

Docket No. M107P4211GD

NOTICE AND ORDER PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN OF A MINOR

In the Interests of Destiny Grace Paquette Minor

NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

1. **Hearing Date/Time:** A hearing on a Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor filed on 11/12/2009 by Sharon L. Paquette of Tewksbury, MA will be held 10/04/2012, 9:00 AM Guardianship of Minor Hearing, located at 208 Cambridge St., Cambridge, MA 02141 in Courtroom #4.

2. **Response to Petition:** You may respond by filing a written response to the Petition or by appearing in person at the hearing. If you choose to file a written response, you need to:

File the original with the Court; and mail a copy to all interested parties at least five (5) business days before the hearing.

3. **Counsel for the Minor:** The minor (or an adult on behalf of the minor) has the right to request that counsel be appointed for the minor.

4. **Presence of the Minor at Hearing:** A minor over age 14 has the right to be present at any hearing, unless the Court finds that it is not in the minor's best interests.

ORDER TO PETITIONER(S): IT IS ORDERED THAT copies of this Notice and the Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor be served in hand on the minor, (if 14 or more years of age and not the petitioner), the guardian, the parents of the minor, and any other person if ordered by the Court, at least fourteen (14) days prior to the hearing date listed above.

If Service in hand cannot be accomplished on any interested party, IT IS ORDERED that copies of this Notice and the Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor be served on the interested party by leaving at and mailing by regular first class mail to last and usual place of residence of the interested party at least fourteen (14) days prior to the date of hearing listed above.

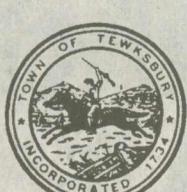
If the identity or whereabouts of an interested party is not known, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Notice and Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor be served on all interested persons at least fourteen (14) days prior to the hearing date by mailing first class mail and by publishing a copy of the Order and Notice once in Town Crier, Tewksbury publication to be at least Seven (7) days prior to the hearing date.

If required, service on the United States Veterans Administration and the Department of Children and Families may be accomplished by regular first class mail at least Seven (7) days prior to the hearing.

THIS IS A LEGAL NOTICE: An important court proceeding that may affect your rights has been scheduled. If you do not understand this notice or other court papers, please contact an attorney for legal advice.

Date: August 27, 2012
Tara E. DeCristofaro
Register of Probate
05559520 9/19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Thursday, September 27, 2012, at 6:30 P.M. in the Tewksbury Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by Erica M. Hussey and Tony Cerquiera for a variance under Section 4130, Appendix B and for a Special Permit under Section 3651 of the Tewksbury Zoning Bylaw. Applicant seeks to add a second floor to the back portion of the dwelling to be used as an in-law suite above the existing kitchen as shown on plans filed with this Board. Said property is located at 232 Old Main Street, Assessor's Map 23, Lot 1, zoned Residential.

The application may be examined in the Community Development Department, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA (978-640-4370 x248), Monday thru Friday 7:30 am - 4:30 pm.

Robert Dugan,
Chairman
05559516 9/19/26/12

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF WILMINGTON

PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 41, Section 81-T and 81-U, the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at 7:45 p.m. in Room 9, Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA for an Amendment to Definitive Subdivision #04-1, plan entitled "Cheyenne Estates, Wilmington, Massachusetts, Lot 1 - Cheyenne Estates, Revised Drainage Easement Plan" dated August 31, 2012; Scale: 1"=20'; submitted for Joseph Langone, 20 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, MA 01887; prepared by Professional Engineer: Michael J. Carter, GCG Associates, 84 Main Street, Wilmington, MA 01887; property location Cheyenne Estates and shown as Assessor's Map 85 Parcel 7. The proposed subdivision contains six (6) single family house lots.

In accordance with Wilmington Inhabitants Bylaw, Section 48.1, the Board will conduct a public hearing on an application for Stormwater Management Permit for the Cheyenne Estates subdivision at the same time and place, plan entitled "Cheyenne Estates, Wilmington, MA, Stormwater Plan, Grading Plan" dated July 23, 2012; Scale: 1" = 40'; submitted for Joseph Langone, 20 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, MA 01887; prepared by Professional Engineer: Michael J. Carter, GCG Associates, 84 Main Street, Wilmington, MA 01887; property location Cheyenne Estates and shown as Assessor's Map 85 Parcel 7.

Material for these applications are on file at the Planning and Conservation Department, and may be inspected during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Any person interested, or wishing to be heard on the proposed plan, should appear at the time and place designated.

Michael Sorrentino,
Chair
Wilmington
Planning Board
05559461 12/12,19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Bids will be received in the Department of Public Works, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA 0876

until:
Thursday, October 11, 2012 at 12:00 P.M.

at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following contract:

Town Facility Electrical Services, PW-13-09

Scope of Work consists of providing said Services for the Town of Tewksbury (see invitation to bid for more information). Bid Information and Bid Forms will be made available at the above offices after 8:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 26, 2012.

\$5.00 check required for shipping if documents are to be mailed. A pre-bid meeting will be held on Thursday October 4, 2012 at 11:00 A.M. at the Tewksbury Town Hall at 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA

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Richard A. Montuori
Town Manager
05559518 9/19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT

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ORDER OF NOTICE

To: Edward G. Graziano, Jr.

Kathleen M. Graziano and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; 50 U.S.C. App. §501 et seq.

US Bank National Association, as Trustee for the Bank of America Funding 2006-872 Trust,

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in 27 Auburn Avenue, Wilmington given by Kathleen M. Graziano and Edward G. Graziano, Jr. a/k/a Edward G. Graziano to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for, American Brokers Conduit, its successors and assigns, dated August 3, 2006, recorded with the Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 20403, Page 275, and now held by plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/s/Debtors' Servicemembers status.

If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before October 15, 2012 or you will be forever barred from claiming that you are entitled to the benefits of said Act.

Witness, KARYN F. SCHEIER Chief Justice of this Court on August 29, 2012
Attest:
Deborah J. Patterson
Recorder
05559479 9/19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

INVITATION TO BID

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until:
Thursday, October 11, 2012 at 11:30 A.M.

at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following contract:

Town Facility Plumbing Services, PW-13-12

Scope of Work consists of providing said Service for the Town of Tewksbury (see invitation to bid for more information). Bid Information and Bid Forms will be made available at the above offices after 8:00 A.M. on Wednesday, September 26, 2012.

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Richard A. Montuori
Town Manager
05559511 9/19/12

LEGAL NOTICE



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE TRIAL COURT MIDDLESEX PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT MIDDLESEX DIVISION 208 CAMBRIDGE STREET EAST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141 (617) 768-5800

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE

Docket No. M112P3735EA

Estate of: Shella J. Nason
Date of Death: May 30, 2012

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Eilene M. Andrew of Wilmington, MA a Will has been admitted to informal probate. Eilene M. Andrew of Wilmington, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without Supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

05559487 9/12/12

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

THE SUPERIOR COURT MIDDLESEX, SS.

CIVIL DOCKET # MICV2012-03587

TO: Sean P. Shanahan and Stephanie R. Kim, and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended;

East Boston Savings Bank, successor by merger to Mt. Washington Cooperative Bank, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Tewksbury, number 371 Chandler Street, given by Sean P. Shanahan and

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Raymond J. Paczkowski and Elizabeth B. Paczkowski a/k/a Elizabeth Byzdra Paczkowski to Cornerstone Mortgage Corp., Inc., dated August 13, 2003 and recorded with the Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 16024, Page 118, of which mortgage Nationalstar Mortgage LLC is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosure, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 12:00 p.m. on October 10, 2012, on the mortgaged premises located at 20 Indian Road, Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in

said mortgage,

TO WIT:

The land with the buildings thereon situated on 20 Indian Road, in Tewksbury, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Being shown as Lot D on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Tewksbury, Mass., May 2, 1989," Armand E. Provost, Jr., RLS, Tyngsboro, Mass. Said plan being recorded at the Middlesex North Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 169 Plan 38 and further bounded: WESTERLY by Indian Road, according to said plan, 104.10 feet; SOUTHERLY by Lot E, according to said plan, 80 feet; EASTERLY by Lots 158-166 inclusive, and by Lot C, according to said plan 104.10 feet; NORTHERLY by Lots A and B according to said plan 80 feet. Containing according to said plan 8,329 square feet of land more or less. This conveyance is made subject to and with the benefit of easements of record insofar as same are in full force and effect. For our

title, see deed dated June, 1999 and recorded at said Registry at Book 10234, Page 063.

For mortgagor's(s) title see deed recorded with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 10234, Page 63.

These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank check will be re-

quired to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale.

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
Present holder of said mortgage
By its Attorneys,
HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C.
150 California Street
Newton, MA 02458
(617) 558-0500
201012-0293 - ORE
05559400 9/12,19/26/12

LEGAL NOTICE

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage given by George L. Johnson and Stephen Bjork to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for, GN Mortgage, LLC, its successors and assigns, dated May 15, 2007 and recorded with the Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 21254, Page 44 of which the Mortgage the undersigned is the present holder by assignment for breach of the conditions of said Mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosure same will be sold at Public Auction at 01:00 PM on September 26, 2012 at 12 Kendall Street, Wilmington, MA, all and singular the

premises described in said Mortgage, to wit: Being shown as Lot A on a Subdivision Plan of Land in Wilmington, Mass., prepared for George Ravasini; Otte & Dwyer, Inc., 186 Central Street, Saugus, MA, Surveyors; Scale: 1"=20' dated December 12, 1988.

Said plan of land is recorded in Middlesex North Registry of Deeds on Plan Book 176, as Plan NO. 16, to which reference is made for a more particular description. Said Lot A contains 29,840 square feet, more or less, according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to the herein named mortgagor(s) by deed recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 18170, Page 266. The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, restrictions,

building and zoning laws, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 CENTS (\$5,000.00) in the form of a certified check or bank treasurer's check will be required to be delivered at or before the time the bid is offered. The successful bidder will be required to execute a Foreclosure Sale Agreement immediately after the close of the bidding. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid within thirty (30) days from the sale date in the form of a certified check, bank treasurer's check or other check satisfactory to Mortgagee's attorney. The Mortgagee reserves the right to bid at the sale, to reject any and all bids, to continue the sale and to amend the terms of the

sale by written or oral announcement made before or during the foreclosure sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication. TIME WILL BE OF THE ESSENCE.

Other terms if any, to be announced at the sale.
Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas as Trustee for RALI 2007QS11
Present Holder of said Mortgage,
By Its Attorneys,
Orlans Moran PLLC
P.O. Box 962189
Boston, MA 02196
Phone: (617) 502-4100
05559397 9/5,12,19/12

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Nancy A. Gill and John J. Gill to Nationstar Mortgage LLC, dated October 20, 2006 and recorded with the Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds at Book 20633, Page 244, of which mortgage Nationstar Mortgage LLC is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosure, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 5:00 p.m. on October 3, 2012, on the mortgaged premises located at 20 Dirlam Circle, Tewksbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage,

buildings situated thereon, bounded and described as follows: SOUTHWESTERLY by Dirlam Circle, one hundred (100) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by Lot 17, as shown on said plan hereinafter mentioned, one hundred (100) feet; NORTHEASTERLY by Lots 12 and 13, as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; and SOUTHEASTERLY by Lot 19, as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet. Containing 10,000 square feet of land and being shown as Lot 18 on plan entitled "Subdivision Plan of MacLaren Road Gardens, Tewksbury, Mass.", drawn by S. Albert Kaufmann, Engineer, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 84, Plan 152. The above described premises conveyed subject to and with the benefit of the right to use streets and ways, as shown on said plan, for all purposes for which streets and ways commonly are used in the Town of Tewksbury in common with others entitled thereto; also con-

veyed subject to a grant of an easement to Lowell Electric Light Corp. As set forth in an instrument recorded with said Deeds in Book 1262, Page 225.

For mortgagor's(s) title see deed recorded with Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 7903, Page 39.

These premises will be sold and conveyed subject to and with the benefit of all rights, rights of way, restrictions, easements, covenants, liens or claims in the nature of liens, improvements, public assessments, any and all unpaid taxes, tax titles, tax liens, water and sewer liens and any other municipal assessments or liens or existing encumbrances of record which are in force and are applicable, having priority over said mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens or encumbrances is made in the deed.

TERMS OF SALE:

A deposit of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars by certified or bank

check will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. The balance is to be paid by certified or bank check at Harmon Law Offices, P.C., 150 California Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02458, or by mail to P.O. Box 610389, Newton Highlands, Massachusetts 02461-0389, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. Deed will be provided to purchaser for recording upon receipt in full of the purchase price. The description of the premises contained in said mortgage shall control in the event of an error in this publication.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at the sale.

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
Present holder of said mortgage
By its Attorneys,
HARMON LAW OFFICES, P.C.
150 California Street
Newton, MA 02458
(617) 558-0500
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Catching up with Pro Ball Pitcher Scott Oberg

In last week's edition, we profiled locals participating in college sports, as well as locals competing in various road races. We will continue to run this column, but the primary purpose of it is to recognize those people whose accomplishments are mostly recognized my various websites and to piece those blurbs together into a column. This week's column will start off with an interview with Tewksbury's Scott Oberg, which took place almost a month ago. Oberg just ended his first very successful season in professional baseball pitching for the Single-A Colorado Rockies team. But the story was held off because no team officials responded to multiple emails requesting interviews of managers and coaches as well as pictures of Oberg in action. After nearly a month without responses, we have decided to run the story just with Oberg's interview.

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

Being the first person from Tewksbury in almost 20 years to play professional baseball, Scott Oberg certainly enjoyed a tremendous rookie season recently where he was named a league all-star while pitching for the Grand Junction Rockies, the Single-A Affiliate team of the Colorado Rockies.

Just last week, Oberg was informed by the organization that he will be pitching in the Arizona Fall League for about six weeks, and that's a huge step in the right direction, according to the former TMHS and UConn star.

"I think they hold me high regard, or at least I hope they do," he said in the interview almost a month ago. "I'll know in a few days if I'm going to pitch in the Arizona Fall League and if they ask you to do that, that means they want to see

more of you which is a good thing."

Oberg had terrific numbers, since being assigned to Grand Junction after being selected in the 15th round of this past June's Major League Baseball draft. He appeared in 25 games, finishing 22 of them. He finished with an 0-2 record and an 2.33 earned run average. In 27 innings, he gave up 20 hits, 7 earned runs, two homeruns, while walking six and striking out 29. He finished with 13 saves.

He was asked about the differences of the college game compared to Single-A competition.

"The transition wasn't that tough because I had been a reliever in college so that made it easier," he said. "A lot of the times guys are starters in college and are switched to relievers, but I didn't have to adjust because I was a reliever so that definitely helps because you basically know when you're pitching."

"You try to learn about the different hitters you face, you try to adjust but the one thing you learn fast is if you leave the ball up, you are going to get hurt. You tend to run into the same hitters a lot, so you just have to try to adjust to each hitter."

Besides the adjustments to opposing hitters, he also had to adjust to not having family and friends around on an everyday basis.

"My mother and girlfriend came out on the first homestand, and then my brother and my father came out for another homestand and it was good to see them, my parents and my family," he said. "I have heard from friends, back in Tewksbury and back at school so it's definitely nice to know there is support there."

Through his first 15 games, Oberg had a 0-0 record and a 1.04 ERA, before struggling a few times in his final ten appearances.

"I have blown a few save chances," he said. "I would get two quick outs, then give up a few hits and a few runs, so I have blown a few games. But they like to see how you handle things when you struggle and I think I have been lucky enough to have been able to handle it the right way."

Oberg recalled pitching in his first professional game back in late June.

"It was at home and the first time I was out there was in the ninth inning against the Odgen Raptors," he said. "I do remember giving up a solo homerun but it was definitely cool being out there and pitching professionally for the first time. I have a great supporting team and it was good to get my feet wet and get used to professional ball."

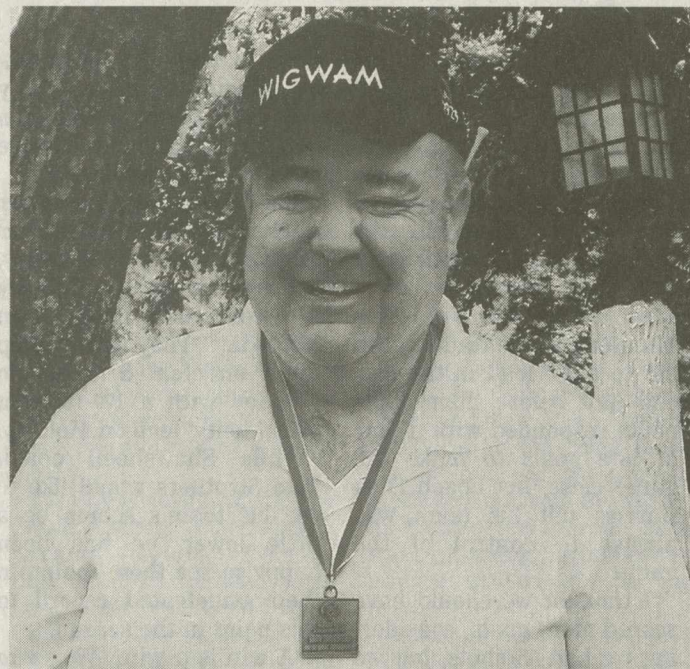
Oberg said that he primarily throws three pitches, a two-seam fastball that touches between 92 and 94 regularly, and then a curve ball and a change-up.

"The change-up isn't where I want it to be right now," he said. "The biggest thing being here is just throwing everyday and being in a structured throwing program."

Before he was drafted, Oberg finished with a 14-2 with a 1.59 ERA with ten saves during his career at UConn. In 113 innings, he has given up just 87 hits and 20 earned runs, while walking 24 and striking out 77.

Peabody takes a Bronze

Wilmington's Keith Peabody continued his terrific career in the sport of golf. During the days of September 6-9, Peabody finished with a Bronze Medal during the 13th annual Special Olympics North America Golf Invitational Tournament held at the beautiful Wigwam Resort in Litchfield Park, Arizona.



Wilmington resident Keith Peabody with his Bronze Medal he earned after placing third at the 13th annual Special Olympics Golf Tournament held in Arizona.

(courtesy photo).

Over the years, Peabody has enjoyed a handful of awards during these tournaments, including several Gold Medals.

Over two hundred golfers of all ages and abilities competed in Level I - Individual Skills Contest, Level II - Alternate Shot Team Play Competition, Level III - Unified Sports® Team Play, Level IV - Individual Stroke Play Competition (9 holes), and Level V - Individual Stroke Play Competition (18 holes).

Peabody competed in Level 5 play, where he finished the two-day tournament with a combined 231 score. He finished the first day with a 114 and finished the second day with a 117, which trailed Kyle Butts (221) and Stacey Johnston Gleason (234) while it was better than Michael Gallagher (236).

College updates

The UMass Lowell Women's Soccer team defeated Saint Anselm College, 1-0, Tuesday night in a Northeast-10

Conference women's soccer match at Grappone Stadium.

The win snapped a three-match slide for the River Hawks, who improved to 2-3-1 overall and 1-3-0 in the NE-10 entering Saturday's home match against Assumption (1:00).

Sophomore Goalkeeper Jane Hatzikonstantis of Tewksbury stopped seven shots to earn her first clean sheet of the season.

"Jane played well in the goal and kept us in it with a big save," head coach Elie Monteiro added. "She was aggressive off her line. She cut off a number of crosses and held on to them in slick conditions."

... The Saint Michael's College men's tennis team dropped a 9-0 decision in its season-opening match at defending Northeast-10 Conference Tournament champion Merrimack College on Sunday. Merrimack has qualified for each of the past five NCAA Tournaments.

Seniors Chris Moskal and

Wilmington's Kenny Vassallo won multiple games for the Purple Knights at No. 2 and 4 singles, respectively, with Moskal taking three games during a second-set loss ...

... Speaking of tennis, four former TMHS players have continued their playing days including April McDermott at Salem State, Lindsey McQuesten at Bridgewater State, Nicole McColgan at Wentworth and Meaghan Keene at Thomas College ...

... Lastly John Parsons of Wilmington, is a member of the Southern Connecticut State University Football team.

Road Races

A handful of locals participated in various road races this past week. Starting with the Buzzards Bay Triathlon, Brian and Theresa Days of Wilmington finished the third-of-a-mile swim, the 14.7 mile bike ride and the 3.1 run at 1:28.24 and 1:34.33 good for 194th and 274th place, respectively. Fellow Wilmington residents Megan Najarian and Heather Corcoran also finished with respective times of 1:42.28 and 2:14.08, respectively ...

... At the St. Charles' 150 Anniversary for the Town of Woburn 5K Road race, Wilmington residents Laury Harwood and Carin Magee finished the race with times of 32:00 and 37:06. At the Run for Ryan's Cup/Chelmsford Police 5K, it was Tewksbury residents Vanna Howard and Cassandra Tower coming in with times of 29:18 and 52:15.

And finally at the Billerica Rotary Club 5K, Tewksbury residents include Joseph Andella (22:24), Erik Gray (27:53), Ginny Vangorder (30:05) and Karen Carter (30:08), while, Wilmington's Randolph Richardson came across at 29:20.

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Shawsheen Tech Sports Round-Up

Rams' Girls Soccer team 4-0

By MIKE IPPOLITO
Sports Correspondent

BILLERICA -- It was an incredible week for the Shawsheen Tech Girls soccer team. The Lady Rams had three games this past week, all against CAC opponents and the results could not have been better, as they were 3-0 in those games and outscored their opponents by a total of 22-0.

The Lady Rams record now stands at 4-0 overall.

Shawsheen's most recent win came on Tuesday afternoon in a home game against Greater Lawrence where they rolled to an 8-0 victory behind six different goal scorers.

Junior Rachel Fahey of Wilmington led the Lady Rams with two goals, while several other local players had a goal each with senior Arianna Medeiros of Tewksbury and the sister combination of Rachel and Rebecca McLaren of Wilmington each adding a goal.

Junior Kristen Carroll of Tewksbury, freshman Nicole Malfa of Wilmington and Kim Hayes all added a goal apiece as well for Shawsheen, while freshman goal keeper Janina Kennedy of Tewksbury made four saves for her fourth third straight shutout.

That was just the latest in a series of blowouts for the Lady Rams who began their week with a 7-0 win over Northeast on the road, followed by another 7-0 triumph over Chelsea on Friday at home.

In the win over Northeast, the Lady Rams scored all seven of their goals in the first half, with Medeiros leading the way with three, while Emily Irwin added four assists and Rachel McLaren scored two goals.

Medeiros had two goals and two assists in the win over Chelsea, a continuation of an incredible season, while freshman Lisa Ferreri had two goals and Malfa and the McLaren sisters had a goal each.

"We are playing very well, and the younger kids are doing a great job," Shawsheen coach Doug Michaud said. "But to be honest I am a little frustrated with the rest of the teams in the league. I thought there would be more of a challenge this year with our having a younger team, but that has not been the case. We are playing very aggressive and that causes the other teams to fall off during the course of a game."

Regardless of the competition level, the season Medeiros has put together has been nothing short of incredible, especially her efforts of the past week. Michaud says that Medeiros has needed to take more of a leadership role this season with so many younger players and she has made the most of it.

"A lot of the players around her are very inexperienced, so at times they are deferring to her and letting her control the ball," Michaud said. "Of course when she is controlling the ball she has been beating three and four defenders and ending up in front of the net where she is able to score. She has been playing great."

While it has been the Shawsheen offense that has been most impressive as of late, they have also been getting great play in net from Kennedy. The freshman from Tewksbury has not had to make a lot of saves, recording just four, two and four saves in the victories, but Michaud says she has been tested more than the box score would indicate.

"Those three or four saves she is making every game have been big saves and tough saves," Michaud said. "It's not like she is just sitting there, she has had to earn it. She is definitely a talented player. She's got some skill."

Soccer team went 1-1 this past week in a pair of CAC games and now has an overall record of 3-2 on the season after a tough 2-1 loss to Northeast last Thursday on the road, and a 3-2 win over Minuteman in another road contest on Monday.

In the win over Minuteman, the Rams raced out to a 3-0 lead in the second half before their opponents responded with a pair of late goals to make the game close, but coach Dick Barriss felt his team was always in control of the game.

"I thought we should have scored more goals, considering we had 45 shots, but we only scored on three of them, and one of those was on a penalty kick," Barriss said. "Meanwhile they had only four shots, so to say we spent the most of the time in their end would be an understatement."

Senior Brian Gallagher led the way offensively for the Rams, as he has for much of the season, with goals in the 25th and 34th minute, a trend that Barriss says the team can expect to see for the rest of the season as well.

"Brian is certainly one of the keys to our team, there is no way around that," Barriss said. "He is going to be one of our leading scorers and if we are going to be successful he is going to have to play well for us. He could have had even more in this one, but you have to give credit to the Minuteman goalie, he played very well."

Christian Lucchesi added the third goal for the Rams, on a penalty kick in the 64th minute to make the score 3-0, allowing Barriss to get his entire team into the game.

"When we were up 2-0 we knew the next goal would be big because being down three goals is a lot different than being down 2-1," Barriss said. "We were able to get all the guys in the game -- 23 kids got to play, which always makes me happy when we can do that."

Along with the goal scorers, the Rams have also gotten outstanding efforts from defender Mike Biondo and halfback T.J. Barriss. Barriss had been very happy with the play of both of these team leaders.

"T.J. has been great for us. He solidifies the middle and he will bust his tail in the offensive end, but then he will also get back on defense even if he was the one making a play in the offensive end," Barriss said. "He is a very good soccer player and he also has a great attitude."

"Mike has been great for us on defense as has Jake Snook. We lost a lot on defense last year, but they have been real solid for us this year so far."

Other players have also been contributing to the Rams cause as well, including freshman Scott Callahan of Tewksbury who has done a good job when given the opportunity to play at full-back.

"He is very green, but he is going to be very good," Barriss said. "He is very small for a fullback but he knows what he is supposed to do and he knows how to play the game. I don't know how much he will play this year, but he is a kid we are going to develop this year who is going to be very good for us."

After the tough 2-1 loss to Northeast, Barriss knows he is going to need his entire team to be very good if they are going to qualify for the state tournament at the end of the season, as each game will be very competitive.

"We have to win the games we are supposed to win, and then win some that maybe we are not supposed to win," Barriss said. "We play Lynn Tech on Thursday and they are one of the best teams in the league so we will know a little more about where we stand after that one."

GOLF

The Shawsheen Golf team has shown signs of slowing

down as they aim for another league title, as they improved their record to a perfect 7-0 with three more wins this past week.

Shawsheen began their week with a 170-186 win over Minuteman last Wednesday, before beating Bay Path by a score of 175-183 on Thursday. They wrapped up their undefeated week on Monday with a 177-182 win over Monty Tech on Monday.

While Shawsheen coach Tom Struthers would like to see his team's scores be a little lower, he has been happy to see them maintain their undefeated record to this point in the season.

"A win is a win. We seem to be holding up pretty well even though I would like the scores to be lower," Struthers said. "I know we can shoot lower scores, but it is a matter of we need to decide we want to do it and go out and commit to doing it. I think we can definitely get down to the 165-160 range."

While Struthers is seeking more consistency from his team, one player who has been extremely consistent has been junior Remy Fletcher, who shot a 38 to take medalist honors against Minuteman, and fired a 40 to lead the Rams against Bay Path.

"He has been so consistent and done so well for us, but we need a couple of other guys to step up and find their game as well," Barriss said. "I am definitely happy with the way he is playing."

He is one of those kids who you send out there and you know what he is going to come back with. He wants to be our number one player and he is showing it with his play."

Senior Scott Dennehy is one of several Rams who has shown great promise for the Rams, while still being a little inconsistent. Dennehy shot a 44 against Minuteman and followed that up with an even more impressive 41 against Bay Path.

"Scott has been playing better, we just need him to focus a little more and concentrate on what he is doing at that time," Struthers said. "That can be hard for these kids sometimes, but I think that Scott can do it and continue to get better."

Two other seniors, Michael Cheevers and Alec Pacheco have also shown some impressive flashes for the Rams with Cheevers shooting a 44 against Minuteman and Pacheco firing a 46 against Bay Path.

"Michael is a big kid with a good swing and he plays a really good game," Struthers said. "This is his first year with us so he does not completely understand the game of golf but he's got that nice easy swing and with more practice he will continue to get better."

"Alec has one of the best swings I have seen and he can hit the ball a ton," Struthers added. "But again, sometimes he does not have the touch. But with practice he will get that. I just wish he was a sophomore, because I would love to seem him keep improving."

While the Rams have probably not played their best golf yet this season, they have shown enough to pretty much guarantee that they will at the very least be able to compete for their eighth straight league title.

"We will definitely be competing for the league. We have had some good matches so far, and looking at other scores around the league I have seen other teams shooting even lower scores than we have so in that sense we have been lucky to catch them on the right day," Struthers said.

"On the other hand, we have not played our best golf yet and once we do that I feel like we can continue to win matches."



Shawsheen Tech's Chase Rebidue is tripped up but manages to hang on to the ball and go in for the score during Saturday's loss.

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Tech Football now at 1-1

Raiders sink Rams in non-league battle

By MIKE IPPOLITO
Sports Correspondent

BILLERICA - There were some great moments and some big plays for the Shawsheen Tech Football team in last Saturday's non-league game with visiting Watertown.

Unfortunately for the Rams, too many of those moments came after they had already dug themselves a huge hole and they were unable to recover in time as they fell by a score of 34-19 in a hard fought non-league battle at Cassidy Field.

Facing a Division 2A opponent from the Middlesex League, the Division 4 Rams knew going in it would be a tough battle and at the outset it certainly was as Shawsheen found themselves trailing 19-0 early in the second quarter and 27-6 at halftime before coming on strong in the second half, but it was not enough to overcome the early game deficit.

With the loss, Shawsheen fell to 1-1 on the season, while Watertown improved to 2-0.

Watertown wasted little time in getting on the board in this one, taking the opening kickoff and marching 73 yards on eight plays on the opening possession of the game, capping the drive with a one yard touchdown run by quarterback Joey Farrar to make the score 7-0 with 7:03 left in the first quarter after the extra point by Erik Antonellis.

A three-and-out by the Rams gave the ball back to Watertown at the Shawsheen 45 yard line and the Red Raiders once again did not need long to score, this time covering those 45 yards in just three plays, and scoring on a 22-yard strike from Farrar to Logan Riley with 5:00 left in the first quarter. The extra point failed, but Watertown held a 13-0 lead.

The lead would become 19-0 moments later, when after another Shawsheen three and out, the Red Raiders marched 47 yards on five plays for another score. Riley capped the drive with a three yard run on the first play of he second quarter, one play after Farrar had connected with T.J. Hairston on a 10-yard pass to set up the first and goal.

The rout that many expected in this matchup of teams separated by two divisions appeared to be on, but the Rams refused to give up, getting on the board late in the first half when quarterback Mike O'Hearn of Wilmington hit Chase Rebidue with a 32-yard touchdown pass with 1:51 left in the first half.

Rebidue made a great catch of a well thrown O'Hearn pass, hauling it in about the five yard line and holding on despite taking a vicious hit before diving into the end zone for the Rams first score of the game.

The extra was blocked, but the Rams were within two scores at 19-6.

Watertown however, extended their lead back to three scores on the ensuing possession, with Farrar connecting on five consecutive passes before Riley scored from three yards out and also rushed in the two point conversion with ten seconds left in the half to make the score 27-6 in favor of the Raiders at the half.

"We dug a real deep hole and once again same as we did last time we played them we had to come back," Shawsheen coach Al Costabile said. "I thought we played much better in the second half, but to give up 27 points in the first half was too much. Especially that last one. That one hurt because we had some momentum."

Shawsheen tried to regain that momentum on the opening possession of the second half as they moved 62 on eight plays led by the arm of O'Hearn (11-for-17, 208 yards, 3 TD's) who completed four passes for 56 yards during the drive, including a 10-yard touchdown pass to Devonn Pratt in the back of the end zone

with 6:48 left in the third quarter.

Pratt kicked the extra point to pull the Rams within 27-13.

"I thought Mike played very well today," Costabile said of O'Hearn. "He was much improved from last week and he threw the ball very well today."

The Shawsheen defense held Watertown on their next possession, stopping them on a fourth and three from the Rams 10 yard line on a great play by Devin Summiel of Tewksbury, but the offense could get nothing going on their ensuing possession and were forced to punt back to Watertown.

This time the Red Raiders were not going to be denied, as they moved 50 yards on eight plays to extend their lead to 34-13 on a 13 yard pass from Farrar (23-for-26, 321 yards) to Matt Donnell with 7:02 left in the game.

It took Shawsheen just two plays and 24 seconds to respond, as O'Hearn hit a streaking Pratt down the left sideline for a 64 yard touchdown pass with 6:38 left in the game to make the score 34-19, but they would get no closer as Watertown took over on their 20 yard line and proceeded to go on a clock killing 15 play drive, and Shawsheen did not get the ball back until 55 seconds remained in the game.

Rams Football Box Score

WATERTOWN 34, SHAWSHEEN 19

Watertown	(2-0)	12	15	7	0	-34
Shawsheen	(1-1)	00	06	7	6	-19

W: Joey Farrar 1 run (Erik Antonellis kick)
W: Logan Riley 22 pass from Farrar (kick failed)
W: Riley 3 run (kick failed)
S: Chase Rebidue 32 pass from Mike O'Hearn (kick failed)
W: Riley 3 run (Riley rush)
S: Devonn Pratt 10 pass from O'Hearn (Pratt kicked)
W: Matt Donnell 13 pass from Farrar (Antonellis kick)
S: Pratt 64 pass from O'Hearn (rush failed)

Team Statistics

First Downs: Watertown 16; Shawsheen 6
Rushes/Yards: Watertown 30-320; Shawsheen 28-135
Pass-Att-Int: Watertown 1-6-0 Shawsheen 15-25-1
Passing Yards: Watertown 14; Shawsheen 284
Total Yards: Watertown 334; Shawsheen 419
Fumbles-lost: Watertown 0-0; Shawsheen 0-0
Penalties-yards: Watertown 0-0; Shawsheen 3-30
Punts - Avg: Watertown 1-41; Shawsheen 2-36

Individual Statistics

Rushing: W, Logan Riley 9-50, 2 TD's, Mike Petrillo 11-20, Joey Farrar 5-20, 1 TD; S, Paul DePlacido 10-26, Mike O'Hearn 2-14.
Passing: W, Farrar 23-26-0, 321 yards, 1 TD; S, O'Hearn 11-17-1, 208 yards, 3 TD's.
Receiving: W, T.J. Hairston, 8-118, Matt Donnell 8-91, Riley 3-54, Austin Farry 3-37, Joey Kelland 2-21; S, Devonn Pratt 9-148, 2 TD's, Chase Rebidue 2-60, 1 TD.

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Girls Second Grade Chivas USA vs Columbus Crew

Chivas USA was led by the offensive power of Alexis Edwards resulted in goals by Erica Raimo, Sloane McIntyre and Cameryn Foresyth. The staunch defensive stand by Colleen Baldi, Casey Ahlin and Lian Jurgans was impressive, as was the goal keeping of Katrina Riekstins and Sloan McIntyre.

Colorado Rapids vs DC United

Great skill was displayed by Caroline Fiorenzio, and Kennedy Quinn, leading to goals by Laine Stockman and Elly O'Connell. The defense was also showing their skills today with Paige Lipski, Karianne Calvoni and Marjorie Zimmer keeping the ball out of their zone while the goal keeping team of Mallory Brown and Kelly Gonzalez kept this game close.

Girls First Grade Columbus Crew vs FC Dallas

The Columbus Crew was led by Shaylan Bresnahan and Isabella Melaragni resulting in goals from Madelynn Sainato and Jessica Martinson. Alexandra Lavigne complimented this with great defense. Carly Thayer and Elizabeth Price played goal with Tiger like quickness.

The FC Dallas was led by Nicole Morello and Sofia DiNatale leading to goals by Eva Oppedisano and Riley Rouke. The defense was also showing their skills today with Juliana Ragucci, Elianna Chronopoulos, and Patricia Stevens keeping the ball out of their zone for much of the game.

New England Revolution vs Chicago Fire

Outstanding offensive plays by Molly Walsh, Ashley Mercier, Samantha Bryan and Samantha Miller coupled with a strong defensive stand by Mia Stryhalaleck, Mackenzie Ware and Riley Diaz made for an all around first class game. Grace Walsh scored putting the Revolution on the board.

The Chicago Fire were a tough competitor as they answered back with goals by Alissa Ganley, Emily Doherty and Keira Rice while Alexis Fox and Juliana Anguioni applied constant offensive pressure. The steel like defense by Lily and Kelci Mackenzie made a tough job in goal much easier for Alison Doherty and Emma Flynn.

Houston Dynamo vs Chivas USA

The Houston Dynamo were led by the offensive skills of Sanchita Swamy, Alicia Gardner, and Adrienne Moore resulted in scoring opportunities by Lauryn Parr and Abigail Nolan. The defense was not to be left out of this one either as Hannah Bryson and Alexia Engvaldsen kept the ball out of their zone.

In this action packed test of skill. Ava Deoliveira and Abigail Hassell kept the offensive pressure on by displaying strong soccer skills. Goals by Arianna Farrell, Paige Fuller, and Olivia Solari kept the crowd roaring. Outstanding textbook like defense by Emily Grace and Kylie Quinn kept the Chivas USA under control in the game.

Boys First Grade

LA Galaxy vs DC United

The DC United had great skill being displayed by Kyle Gray, Jake Bourgeois, Aidan Burke and Adam Ebert. The defense was also showing their skills today with James Keck, Mikey Oatis, and Kevin Dusablon keeping the ball out of their zone for much of the game.

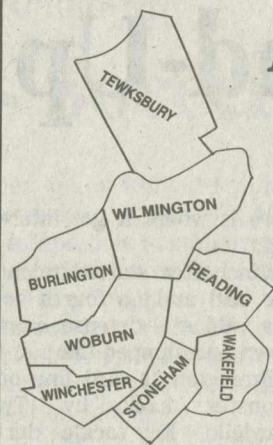
NE Revolution vs Chivas USA

The Chivas USA led by the offensive skills of Matthew Doherty and Layne Miller were on display as the scoring opportunities were finished off by Marx Vanella and Jimmy Bimbo. The defense showed it's skills with Conner Crane and Noah Spencer leading a defensive stand while the tandem of Nick Samaha and Evan Johnson made some incredible defensive saves.

In this action packed test of skill. Evan Woltag, Patrick Tassone and Ethan Kennedy kept the offensive pressure on displaying strong soccer skills. A Goal by Zach Blonigen kept the crowd roaring. Outstanding textbook like defense by Michael Lawler, Braeden White and Joseph Malvone kept the Revolution under control in the game.

Chicago Fire vs Colorado Rapids

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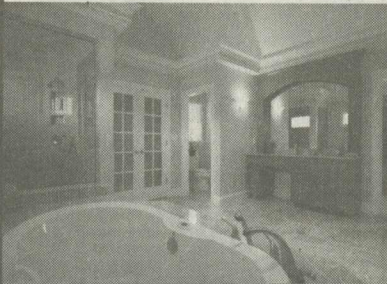
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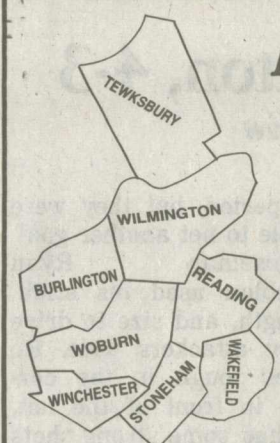
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Outstanding plays by Brian Banks, Michael Derosé and Christian Carpinella coupled with a strong defensive stand by Alex Bouchie and Brady Gavegnano made for an all around first class game. Daniel Lagunilla, Joshua Haerer, and Nolan Joyce scored putting the Chicago Fire on the board. A solid midfield effort by James Callahan kept their team alive.

Houston Dynamo

vs NY Red Bulls

The Houston Dynamo was led by the offensive skills of Colin Lawson, Andrew Lamb and Daniel McElligott resulted in scoring opportunities by Jonathan Foreyth. The defense was led by Anuj Gandhi, Peter Sampson, Charlie Rosa and Antonio Smolinsky kept the ball out of their zone.

Alessandro Fanuele, Eric Packer, and Mike McCarthy kept the offensive pressure on displaying strong soccer skills. Goals were scored by Ryan Copson and Zach Rogers. Outstanding textbook like defense by Aidan Calvo and Remy Elliott kept the Red Bulls under control.

FC Dallas

vs Columbus Crew

The Columbus Crew was led by Braedon Almas and Benjamin Wright leading to goals by Patrick Hounsell and Sean O'Donoghue. The defense had Liam Milne and Ryan Murphy keeping the ball out of their zone, while the goal keeping team of Ryan Sweeney and Aidan Guyette kept this game close.

Girls Second Grade

NE Revolution

vs Chivas USA

Outstanding plays by Sammy Cronin, Alexa Graziano and Asha Bohnert coupled with a strong defensive stand by Lorianne Luongo, Rachael Gonzalez, and Sofia Scalfani made for an all around first class game. Ella Cedrone scored putting the Revolution on the board. A solid goaltending effort by Asha Bohnert, Alexa Graziano, Sofia Scalfani, and Rachael Gonzalez to keep their team alive.

Chivas USA answered back with goals by Cameryn Foreyth, Erica Raimo and Katrina Riekstins, Casey Ahlin and Colleen Baldi applied constant offensive pressure. The defense by Lian Juergens and Sloan McIntyre made a tough job in goal much easier for Alexis Edwards and Colleen Baldi who also performed strong in net.

Columbus Crew

vs Colorado Rapids

Fantastic ball skills were displayed by Kylie Gates and Emily Provost resulting in goals by Katelin Hally and Kayla Flynn. The midfield and defensive play of Marni McBride and Julia Gray kept the Columbus Crew in excellent shape. The crowd roared to their feet when Ramesh Kumar made some spectacular saves.

DC United

The DC United was led by the offensive skills of Mallory Brown, Caroline Fiorenzio and Karianne Calvoni led to scoring opportunities by Elly O'Connell, Kelly Gonzalez, and Paige Lipski. The defense was not to be left out of this one either as Kennedy Quinn, Maggie Zimmer, and Laine Stockman kept the ball out of their zone.

Boys Second Grade

DC United

vs Chicago Fire

Outstanding plays by Sean Falvey, and Jonathan Dalton, and Cameron Gagnon coupled with a strong defensive stand by Tom Gargan and Dominic Feeney made for an all around first class game. Dylan McGrath, Tyler Beals and Joey Kullman scored putting the DC United on the board.

A solid goaltending effort by both Patrick LeBlanc and Aidan Swift.

Girls Grade 3-5

NE Revolution

vs Orange Outlaws

The Revolution was led by Sofia Brunetto and resulting in goals from Karlie Reese and Gianna Melaragni. Isabelle Puccio, Lillian Perriello complimented this with great defense. Olivia Rogers played goal with tiger like quickness.

The Orange Outlaws answered back with goals by Maggie Bourgeois while Danielle Flaherty, Samantha Jareo applied constant offensive pressure. The steel like defense by Haley Fisher made a tough job in goal much easier for Alessia Puccio who also performed strong in net. Grace Steinmetz had a great all around game providing boost for the Orange Outlaws.

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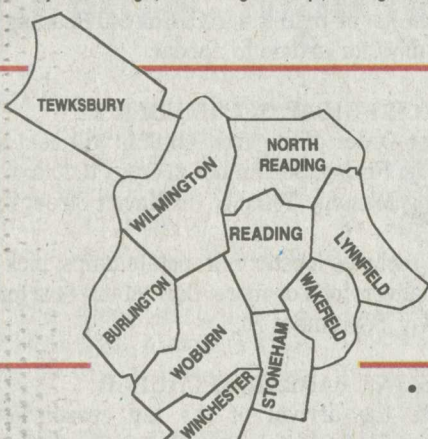
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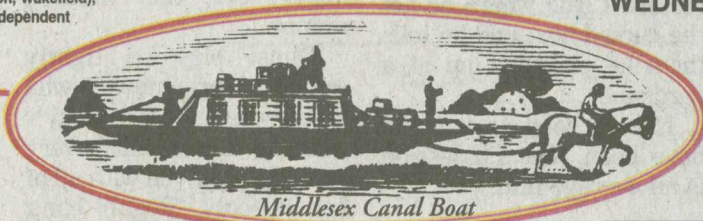
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Area women help cancer patient on west coast

Locals pay it forward

By PAUL FEELY

They hardly knew each other in high school. Now, they have joined together to help a woman living on the other side of the country, who most of them have never met.

Don't try telling the Friends of Traci that charity is going out of style.

Members of the Reading Memorial High School Class of 2002 - Danielle Legrow, Amy Bolton, Rachel O'Neil (formerly of Reading, now of Wilmington), and Liz Lamonica (now of Middleton) - have joined together with Erin Howes of Londonderry, NH, Laurie Daley of North Chelmsford, and Jen Mallett of Boston to organize a fundraiser to help Traci Van Dyken, a 32-year-old woman who is battling breast cancer for the second time around.

Many people take part in fundraisers to support those

battling cancer, and raise funds for research to find a cure. What makes this story different is that - aside from Amy - none of those involved has ever met their source of inspiration.

Traci is battling her disease on the other side of the country, currently recovering from surgery in Portland.

"Amy is infectious," said O'Neil, who now calls Wilmington home. "She brings out the best in all of us. We've kind of reconnected over this, and the support from the town, from people we've just met, has been great."

The group is holding a 5K fundraiser this Sunday, September 23 at the Birch Meadow School in Reading at 10:30 a.m.

Friends for Traci was formed this past January by Amy Bolton, who recruited some of her closest friends

and told them of her friend and former roommate, Traci's story.

In Traci's own words, "Life is a beautiful, weird, mess." Traci, 32, was diagnosed with breast cancer for the second time just before Christmas last year. At the age of 27 Traci was diagnosed the first time. Just four months short of reaching her five-year cancer free mark, Traci was now facing this battle yet again. This time the cancer has spread to her lungs. With insurance only covering part of her medical bills, Traci found herself in serious need of financial support.

Since Christmas, 2011, Traci has been enduring a tough battle once again. She has gone through 6+ treatments of chemo and when that didn't work, four intense weeks of radiation.

She has also undergone a hysterectomy, yet Amy says Traci's faith and strength continues to shine through her beautiful smile and character. "We skype occasionally, we try to talk when we can," said Amy. "She's the kind of person who always wants to help. She's always asking, 'What can I do?', and we tell her, this is for you Traci, we don't want you to do anything for this."

"I think it's hard, because

Friends for Traci



FRIENDS FOR TRACI- (1 to r) Danielle Legrou, Erin Howes, Laurie Daley, Amy Bolton, and Rachel O'Neil sport their 'Friends for Traci t-shirts.' The group has been helping to raise funds for a cancer patient in Portland, Oregon Traci Van Dyken. This Sunday, September 23 at 10:30 AM their will be a 5k Road Race to benefit Traci starting from Birch Meadow Elementary School, 27 Arthur B Lord Drive Reading.

she really wishes she could be out here. I would have dreamed of having her here for the event, but she just can't travel right now. It won't be possible with her surgery. We're trying to skype with her the day of the event, we're

hoping to set up a giant TV just for the day, and skype with her during it, at least for part of it."

All of Amy's efforts have come from a friendship that developed out of a single phone call, placed years ago.

"It was a transition time in my life when I met Traci," said Amy. "I was living in Colorado, preparing to move to Oregon."

"I called the school I was hoping to attend, hoping they would have a listing of people who were looking for roommates and they did; the first person I called was Traci Van Dyken. I think both of us were apprehensive about choosing a roommate without meeting in person first, but after our first phone conversation, those fears subsided a little."

"That first phone conversation lasted a long time. I can't

remember quite how long but I remember being on the phone with her and both of us saying, "How long have we been on the phone?! I can't believe we've been talking this long!" It was bizarre to both Traci and myself that outside of seeing a few email pictures of each other, we were going to be living together.

"When I got to Portland, not only did she greet me with a hug, but as soon as I came inside, she welcomed me with a care package. Portland maps and magazines, goodies, some shower stuff and a card. This was going to be a good fit, I thought. Over the next few days, Traci dedicated her time outside of work to making me feel comfortable. It was obvious right from the start the huge heart that Traci to S-4

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Movie Reviews

by Paul Feely

"THE POSSESSION" AN AVERAGE FILM



"THE POSSESSION" IS BASED ON a true story and is the account of how one family must unite in order to survive the wrath of an unspeakable evil. A lot of the scares are predictable so there is not a lot of mounting suspense.

"THE POSSESSION"
GRADE: **

Based on a true story, The Possession is the account of how one family must unite in order to survive the wrath of an unspeakable evil.

Clyde (Jeffrey Dean Morgan) and Stephanie Brenek (Kyra Sedgwick) see little cause for alarm when their youngest daughter Em becomes oddly obsessed with an antique wooden box she purchased at a yard sale. But as Em's behavior becomes increasingly erratic, the couple fears the presence of a malevolent force in their midst, only to discover that the box was built to contain a dybbuk, a dislocated spirit that inhabits and ultimately devours its human host.

The Possession is slightly more interesting than other entries in this genre because it centers around an unusual and creepy bit of Jewish folklore. A dybbuk box is said to trap a dislocated spirit. The box featured here naturally gets opened, resulting in all hell breaking loose.

Morgan plays Clyde Brenek, a divorced basketball coach trying to amicably handle custody issues with ex-wife Stephanie

ers ask Clyde where he got the cursed box, and he tells them he picked it up at a yard sale.

Not as good as it could have been, The Possession is an average film.

"BACHELORETTE"
GRADE: **

'Bachelorette' will draw obvious comparisons to 'Bridesmaids', as a comedy for women that is rauchier than most, but the former really isn't in the same league as the latter when it comes to laughs.

The plot of 'Bachelorette' plays out like this: on the night before an old friend's wedding, three frisky bridesmaids go searching for a little fun but find much more than they bargained for.

With lovely Becky (Rebel Wilson) set to marry her handsome sweetheart, Dale (Hayes MacArthur), the remaining members of her high school clique reunite for one last bachelorette bacchanal in the Big Apple.

Regan (Kirsten Dunst) is an overachieving, ueber-Maid of Honor who's secretly smarting over the fact that she's not the first to marry, while Gena (Lizzy Caplan) is a whip-smart sarcastic who's actually a closet romantic, and Katie (Isla Fisher) is a ditzy beauty who loves the good life. But when Becky insists on keeping the bachelorette party tame, the women proceed with an after-hours celebration of their own.

Truth be told, "Bachelorette" isn't just a knockoff of "Bridesmaids" - it actually has more in common with cult-favorite comedies like "Heathers"

and "Mean Girls," plus "The Hangover," thanks to writer/director Leslye Headland writing style. The result is an unexpected and bitterly funny take on the misery of the modern woman.

Dunst plays a tightly wound overachiever who takes charge of Becky's wedding and resents every second of it. Even with all of her success, Regan can't stand the fact that Becky, the same person she still calls "Pigface" behind her back, beat her to the altar.

Next in the line of succession is Gena (Lizzy Caplan, terrific), a promiscuous substance abuser. Rounding out the group is Katie (Isla Fisher), an attractive airhead and the closest thing to a stereotype in the whole film. The story follows the women (minus Becky) on a pre-wedding all-nighter that begins with hard partying and ends with a mad scramble to fix the bridal gown they ripped. As the night progresses, the characters deepen, their dynamics grow more complex and, before you know it, you understand them, even if you don't like them.

Headland's quick-witted dialogue, loaded with the kind of well-rehearsed comebacks, nicknames and movie references (several from another high school classic, "Fast Times at Ridgemont High") that can only be shared between close childhood friends, that makes "Bachelorette" crackle. The film keeps up with a bouncy, nostalgic pop soundtrack and a frantic, fun pace.

It also features raunchy and foul-mouthed behavior usually reserved for a film like "The Hangover," but rarely played out by women on-screen.

The result is a decidedly adult Girls Night Out at the movies, one that many will find funny and true.

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LOBSTER ROLL LUNCH FRIDAY, SEPTMEBER 21
The Priscilla Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star will hold a Lobster Roll Luncheon on Friday, September 21 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Reading Masonic Temple, 110 Haven Street in Reading.

The cost is \$9 and it includes lobster roll, potato chips, pickles and dessert. Local delivery of 5 or more. Call 781-424-8142 for reservations by Thursday, September 20.

FALL FESTIVAL AT SAINT BARBARA'S CHURCH
Come and celebrate the arrival of the fall season on Saturday, September 22 at St. Barbara's Church, 138 Cambridge Road in Woburn from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

There will be fun-filled rides, games of chance, clown with balloon animals, face painting, caricatures, ice cream sundaes, pony rides, consession stand, trackless train and children's craft table, as well as many other activities.

The St. Barbara's childrens choir will be featured at a Folk mass at 4 p.m. followed by a delicious Pasta and Meatball Dinner from 5 - 7 p.m.

"BYE BYE BIRDIE" AT WAKEFIELD REP.
Join the Wakefield Repertory Theatre on September 21, 22, 28 and 29 at 8 pm. and September 23 and 30 at 3 p.m. for "Bye Bye Birdie." It tells the story of a rock and roll singer who is about to be inducted into the army.

The show will be presented at the Wakefield-Lynnfield United Method-ist Church, 273 Vernon Street in Wakefield.

Tickets are \$18/adults, \$16 students/seniors and can be purchased at www.ticketstage.com/WRT or by calling 781-245-1173.

STEP OUT FOR HOSPICE WALK/RUN SEPTEMBER 30
The Woburn Friends of VNA Hospice Care are holding the 15th annual "Step Out for Hospice" charity 5-mile road race, 3-mile health walk and 1-mile fun run on Sunday, September 30 from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The event starts at the Woburn Irish American Club and continues around Horn Pond.

Post-race amenities include live music, raffles, beer, popcorn, hot dogs, chowder and more.

Online registration and more information at www.vnahospicecare.org.

READING SOCIETY OF CRAFTSMEN TO MEET
The Reading Society of Craftsmen will meet at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 239 Woburn Street in Reading on Monday, October 1 at 10 a.m.

Susan Burton will be giving a presentation on carved gourds. A light lunch prepared by members will be served.

Anyone who would like to visit, or to become a member, call Karen at 617-776-9359.

GARDEN CLUB FALL PLANT SALE SATURDAY
The Nort Reading Garden Club will hold its Fall Plant Sale at the Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park Street on Saturday, September 22 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

There will be an assortment of perennials and mums. All proceeds will benefit the civic beautifiction projects for the town.

READING ROTARY CLUB AUCTION OCTOBER 13
The Reading Rotary Club will hold its 12th annual Auction on Saturday evening, October 13 at the Wakefield Elks. The general public is invited. There is a silent auction starting at 6 p.m.

Tickestes are available at Davis, Clark & Latham Insurance, Peter Sanborn Place, the Reading Chronicle and from Reading Rotary members.

All proceeds go to scholarships and other worthwhile Rotary projects.

GRADES 4 - 6 HOUSEHOLD PERCUSSION WORKSHOP
A Household Percussion Workshop will be held on Saturday, Septemer 22 from 1:15 - 2:30 p.m. at the Stoneham Theatre. Included is 1 ticket to the 3 pm. performance of Lumberjacks in Love (show run time is about 2 hours. and is recommended for grades 4 - 6.

Children will learn how to turn regular household items into fabulous musical instruments. From the washboard to ukuleles, students will have the opportunity to explore music and rhythm in an interactive, fun environment and then see the instruments used on stage in the play.

For more information email Maria Evans at the Stoneham Boys & Girls Club, mevans@bgstoneham.org.

BASKETBALL OFFICIATING CLASSES IN OCTOBER
The Board 130 of the International Association of Approved Basketball Officials will be offering a class for anyone interested in becoming a certified basketball official.

The class starts October 1 and runs on Monday and Wednesday nights for five weeks. All classes will be held at the

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Meet local authors

Have you ever thought about writing a novel?

Have you thought of writing a novel but never really got around to it? Have you heard of NANOWRIMO, or National Novel Writing Month, when people set out to write a novel in 'thirty days'?

Thursday, October 4, at 7PM two North Reading residents who completed this challenge will be at the Flint Memorial Library, 147 Park Street, to read from their work, talk about how they wrote their novels, and offer tips to others who want to write fiction.

In November of 2011, she spearheaded the National Novel Month Writing project at the Flint Memorial Library, writing Olivia and Sean's love story—tentatively titled *Undercovers: Book One of the Overton Police Trilogy*.

The event is free and open to the public. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Please call 978-664-4942 for further information.

Nancy Parsons has had a long career in advertising and marketing. She is the author of five books, including her first novel *The Dog That Managed Hedge Funds*, and has ghost-written or helped edit several more.

She has also written a number of magazine articles, remedial education textbooks, and developed a curriculum for memoir writing.

Danielle Masterson has been a professional journalist for over 10 years and has worked for several local newspapers and, currently, AOL/Patch.com.

North Andover High School beginning at 6:30 p.m.

The IAABO exam for new officials will be administered on Monday, November 5 at Salem High School.

Register at www.iaaboboard130.org or call 978-682-9959 for more information.

"TRUCK DAY" FOR CHILDREN SATURDAY

On Saturday, September 22nd from 9:00am-1:00pm Bright Horizons Child Care Center will hold a 'Truck Day' for children in the Teradyne parking lot, 400 Riverpark

Please check your local "Daily Times Chronicle" for daily updates.

SANTA IN SEPTEMBER IN STONEHAM

"Christmas came early to Stoneham Theatre ...," notes the "Stoneham Independent."

"The Stoneham Savings Bank Salem Five Charitable Foundation played Santa by making one of the largest donations - \$25,000 - in Stoneham Theatre history. The Stoneham Savings Bank Salem Five Charitable Foundation supports organizations throughout our community and other worthwhile causes in order to build stronger, more vibrant and prosperous communities.

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LAUGH FOR HEALTH AT LAUGH/YOGA CLUB

The Wakefield Laugh Club meets the first and third Sunday of the month at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 326 Main Street in Wakefield.

No membership dues or attendance required. Drop in

and "Laugh for the Health of It."

FACULTY RECITAL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

The opening faculty recital of the 2012-2013 season: "Let's start with Something New!" will be held at the Winchester Community Music School, 407 Highland Avenue in Winchester.

Free and open to the public. For information call 781-271-2950, or visit www.winchestermusic.org.

HUMAN SERVICES IN BURLINGTON

Coming up on the 24th ...

"The Board of Selectmen ... supported an article which would fund a study of the Human Services Center," notes the Burlington edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"However, the unanimous vote was for \$40,000 as opposed to the original \$85,000 amount which had been included in the preliminary list of articles for the Sept. 24 Town Meeting.

"Town Administrator John Petrin said he met with the Ways and Means Committee's subcommittee about the issue and told the board the original \$85,000 figure was questioned. Petrin said the subcommittee wanted a more detailed study of the issue, with the town administrator stating he expected some 'pushback' from the entire committee on the \$85,000 amount.

"Departments in the building include the Council on Aging, Recreation Department, Board of Health, Veterans Services, and Burlington Community Life Center...."

NEXT STEPS IN LYNNFIELD, WILMINGTON, AND THE READINGS

"The Reading Municipal Light Department (RMLD) has contracted with Boston-based home efficiency company, Next Step Living (NSL), to provide home energy assessments to its residential customers in Lynnfield, North Reading, Reading and Wilmington," notes the Reading edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"NSL also offers other efficiency services.

"RMLD will provide home energy assessments to its customers at no charge. By taking advantage of this service, residents can identify opportunities to reduce energy costs and increase comfort in their home.

"Homes require dynamic solutions to save energy," said RMLD Energy Efficiency Engineer Jared Carpenter. "Next Step Living will offer new approaches to meet this goal."

"Residents can gain access to a range of incentives and rebates for efficiency improvements in their homes, which include free instant-saving measures such as energy efficient light bulbs and access to low-interest loans for energy efficiency improvements (for all RMLD customers), and a 75 percent instant rebate for approved insulation improvements up to \$2,000 (for natural gas customers).

"We're excited to be able to serve RMLD customers as they take steps towards improving the comfort of their home, reducing utility costs and lowering their carbon footprint through energy efficiency," said NSL Director of Community Programs Travis Estes...."

"About the Towns" covers recent events in the 10-town Middlesex East area. Because Middlesex East deadlines are early, please check the front sections of this paper or look on line for up-to-date information about your city or town.

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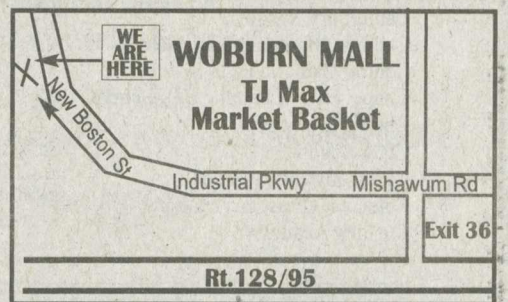
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Athletes & Activities

by Paul Feely

•MIDDLESEX EAST SPORTS WEEKLY TRIVIA: Which are the only two cities to have met in the championship of all four major American sports?

Answer appears elsewhere in this column.

•JUNIOR FORWARD RACHEL MCCARTHY (READING, MASS.) scored a hat trick for the second consecutive match to lead UMass Lowell field hockey over Bentley, 6-0, at the Cushing Field Complex.

"I thought we performed very well," said head coach Shannon Hlebichuk. "We talked about a couple things prior to the game that we wanted to do. That was to be suffocating on our team defense—and I think we did a fantastic job with that—and we talked about goal scoring. We wanted to take advantage of our opportunities and I thought we did a good job of that in both the first and second half."

McCarthy scored the match's opening two goals to put UMass Lowell firmly in the driver's seat. In the 12th minute, McCarthy worked her way into the frenzy in front of the net and deposited the ball in the left corner off of a rebound. McCarthy then knocked in another rebound in the 28th minute.

The River Hawks made it a 3-0 lead shortly before the end of the first half. Senior Sarah Wilcox (Old Town, Maine) carried down the far side and crossed a pass to junior Melissa Effertz (Oceanside, Calif.) waiting at the backdoor for her second goal of the year.

The goals kept coming in the second half as McCarthy scored her third of the game in the 41st minute on yet another rebound.

Effertz followed with her second goal of the game in the 46th minute, and then Wilcox scored in the 55th minute to set the final score at 6-0.

UMass Lowell's Melanie Hopkins (Harwich, Mass.) started in net, making one save in over 59 minutes of

play. Rookie Bryanna Bourbeau (Litchfield, N.H.) played the final 10 minutes, making three saves.

•UMass Lowell scored two goals roughly a minute apart in the first half and never looked back en route to a 2-0 victory over the University of Bridgeport in a non-conference men's soccer clash at Cushing Field.

With the win, UMass Lowell improved to 2-0-1 and hosts No. 3 Franklin Pierce Tuesday at 7:00. Bridgeport slipped to 0-4-0 and visits Bentley Tuesday at 3:30.

UMass Lowell enjoyed possession for much of match and took a 1-0 lead in the 25th minute on a bit of bad luck on Bridgeport's behalf. Senior F Bruno Bonicontro (Marlboro, Mass.) launched an inswinging corner kick from the right side which deflected in the goal off a Purple Knight defender.

The River Hawks capitalized on the momentum and doubled their lead 62 seconds later. Junior M Kevin Zapata (East Bridgewater, Mass.) crossed to sophomore M Homero Morais (Somerville, Mass.), who flicked to Bonicontro, who settled and finished nicely off the bottom of the crossbar.

UMass Lowell nearly went 3-0 ahead in the final minutes of the half. **SOPHOMORE ERIC DESANTIS (WOBURN, MASS.)** broke free on the right side of the box, but shot right at UB goalkeeper Augustin Prados (Madrid, Spain).

Prados was at his best a minute later as sophomore B Felipe Fagundes (Lowell, Mass.) took a playback and roped inside the left post, denied only by Prados' acrobatic glove out of play.

Junior GK Chris Maierle (Wantagh, N.Y.) was only called upon twice, the first attempt in the 17th minute when junior M Andreas Blanke (Gothenberg, Sweden) found space deep on the right side of UMass Lowell's box. Maierle followed the build-up well and confidently thwarted his attempt.

UB nearly pulled one back

in the 72nd when sophomore F Juan Galarza (Danbury, Conn.) found space on the right side and uncorked a blast aimed for the far post, shooting just wide.

UMass Lowell outshot the Purple Knights 10-6 overall and 4-2 on target. Prados had two saves for UB.

•Need some help with the trivia question? Boston is one of them.

•Meg Flatley (Townsend, Mass.) and Kellie Joyce (South Pomfret, Vt.) both scored two goals to lead the 24th-ranked University of New Hampshire field hockey team's 8-3 non-conference victory against College of the Holy Cross at Hart Turf Field.

"We settled in well," UNH's 22nd-year head coach Robin Balducci said. "We had plenty of fire power from all over the place and obviously we're very pleased with that."

Flatley extended her goal-scoring streak to three games with her career-best two-goal effort, and the four points also marked a personal best. Joyce also recorded her first career multiple-goal game and career-high four points to extend her point-scoring streak to three games.

Meg Carroll (Mansfield, Mass.) and Hannah Richard (Hopkinton, N.H.) both tallied a goal and an assist. Claire Grogan (Canton, Mass.) and Mackenzie Joyce (South Pomfret, Vt.) scored UNH's other goals, while both Megan Bozek (Cortlandt Manor, N.Y.) and Emma Erler (New Hampton, N.H.) finished with an assist.

UNH GOALKEEPER CARLIE TARBELL (WAKEFIELD, MASS.) was credited with three saves and HC counterpart Kat Matchett stopped 16 shots, including 11 in the first half.

Flatley, with the assistance of Erler, gave the Wildcats an early 1-0 lead when she scored on the game's second shot of the game at 1:08 on a shot from the left end line.

The UMass Lowell Athletic

Hall of Fame will induct four new members on Saturday, Sept. 29 as part of its second annual Dream of Perfect Games Celebration of Sport at the Inn & Conference Center.

Headlining the Class of 2012 is Nicole (Plante) Hunt '07, a nine-time All-American and NCAA champion in the 10,000 meters; Joanna DaLuz '06, who led the field hockey team to the 2005 NCAA Championship; and **WOBURN NATIVES JASON PAIGE '05**, an All-American in soccer and track and field; and his brother **MIKE PAIGE '02**, a four-time All-American sprinter and stand-out soccer player.

The induction of the Paige brothers marks the second time a brother tandem has been inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame. The Paiges join Brandon '03 and Jonathan Curran '05, both soccer standouts who were inducted in 2008 and 2010, respectively.

Additionally, the induction of Mike Paige completes the first husband-wife tandem in the Hall. Paige's wife, Jill (Croft) Paige '02, was inducted in 2008.

Members of the class of 2012 will be honored at the Celebration of Sport ceremony beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets cost \$50 per person.

•ANSWER TO THIS WEEK'S TRIVIA QUESTION:

St. Louis and Boston.

Cardinals defeat the Red Sox in seven games in 1946. Celtics take down the St. Louis Hawks in seven in '57, Hawks get revenge the next year in six. Celtics strike back in '60 and '61, and the Hawks are so devastated they move to Atlanta.

The Cardinals break Red Sox hearts again in '67, winning in seven. The Bruins get in on the action with a clean sweep of the St. Louis Blues in '70. Patriots beat the Rams in the 2002 Super Bowl. And the Red Sox end a World Series drought extending back to 1918 with a sweep of the Cardinals in 2004.

•DO YOU KNOW SOMETHING WE DON'T? If you have information about a local athlete that you would like to see appear in this column, please email it to readingchronicle@com-cast.net, or mail it to: Paul Feely, Middlesex East Sports, P.O. Box 240,

Reading, Ma., 01867, or call Paul at 781-944-2200.

Traci from S-1

Traci has. She took me to all the 'hotspots' in Portland that she could over the next few days."

Amy says organizing the fundraiser has been a lot of work, but she has enjoyed it.

"I love doing this for Tracy," said Amy. "It's a lot of work, but I love doing it for her, because I feel so strongly about it."

Other members of her team agree.

"I love being a part of this team," said O'Neil. "It's been very fulfilling to me. If there was another cause she signed up for, I would probably sign up too."

"Just from hearing Amy talk about Tracy, this sounds like something she would do for any of us," said Liz.

Bolton credits her Christian faith, and a higher power, with helping connect her with Traci when she herself was in a time of need. Now, she is in a position to help her one-time roommate out.

"I think that my whole move out west was a god-send," said Bolton. "I definitely feel like I was led out there, and it was one of those things where, she was the first person I called. That usually doesn't happen. Out of anywhere I've lived, or anyone I've lived with, I grew the

most while I was out there. A lot of things happened while I was out there - my brother passed away while I was out there, and Tracy was the first person to give me a hug, she's the first person I told. I had only known her for a few months. She was there to support me 100 percent. She just kinda knew how to support me. I definitely feel God put her in my life for a reason, and when I heard this happened, I just wanted to be there for her any way I could."

The Friends for Traci 5K will be held this Sunday, September 23, at 10:30 AM at the Birch Meadow Elementary School, 27 Arthur B. Lord Dr. Reading.

The course begins and ends at Birch Meadow School in Reading, directly across from the YMCA. The terrain is easy with a few small hills; one going up Marla Lane during the first part of the race and the other near the end on Forest Rd. just before a nice easy downhill before the finish line.

For more information check out <http://www.facebook.com/#!/FriendsForTraci>

There are other ways to help support Traci as well. Those interested in doing so can mail a check payable to either Amy Bolton or Traci Van Dyken at 344 Wellman Ave, Chelmsford, MA 01863

Deer hunt planned for Parker River Refuge

A controlled white-tailed deer hunt has been scheduled for Wednesday, December 5, 2012, at Parker River National Wildlife Refuge, Newburyport, Massachusetts. As an integral part of a comprehensive Refuge Wildlife Management Program, this annual hunt helps maintain the deer population at a level commensurate with the available habitat while providing recreational opportunities for the hunting public.

The hunt is by Refuge permit only with a maximum of 35 hunters, including up to 4 paraplegic hunters and 20 standbys, to be selected by public lottery on Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 4:00 pm at Refuge Headquarters, 6 Plum Island Turnpike in Newburyport. To apply for a permit, send a single 3" x 5" card containing your complete name, address, daytime phone number and Massachusetts deer hunting license number to Refuge Headquarters. To allow for two people to hunt together on the same day, up to two hunters may apply on the same single 3" x 5" card but all the required information must be included on the card for both applicants. Only one Paraplegic hunter is required for a buddy team to qualify for the paraplegic hunt lottery. A paraplegic hunter may also have an assistant who is not allowed to hunt and whose name and other information should not be included on the application. A paraplegic hunter should note "paraplegic" on his/her application card so as to ensure entry into the paraplegic hunt lottery. Only one application is permitted per party. A self-addressed stamped envelope should be submitted, one for each hunter, with the application. All applications must be received by COB, Friday October 5, 2012.

Successful applicants must attend a one hour Refuge Hunter Safety & Orientation Program scheduled for the morning of Saturday, November 17 at 9:00 am or the make-up orientation on Monday, November 19 at 6:00 pm. Both sessions will be held at

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Tips for long-distance caregivers

Caring for a friend or family member who has cancer is not easy. It may only get more difficult when a caregiver lives far away.

Long-distance caregiving may not be ideal for the patient or the caregiver, but it's sometimes the only option. Long-distance caregivers can expect their out-of-pocket expenses to be higher, as the cost of travel alone is likely to be considerable. While long-distance caregiving may not be ideal, the American Cancer Society offers the following tips to help men and women entrusted with caring for a cancer-stricken friend or family member from afar.

* Make sure your loved one's home is safe. When you get the chance to visit your loved one's home, make the most of that visit and ensure his or her home is safe. If the illness has made things more difficult around the house, address any of these issues before you return home. Patients who receive chemotherapy are often weakened after treatment, so it can help to install some grab bars in the bathroom or purchase a shower seat to reduce the risk of falling in the shower. In addition, make sure handrails inside and outside the home are secure. If they're loose, tighten them so they provide adequate support.

* Clean up around the house. Cancer patients may also be too weak to keep up with their chores around the house. A dirty home can be depressing to men and women battling cancer, so clean up around the house to brighten the home and reduce the risk of an insect or rodent infestation.

* Be ready for a crisis. No one wants to imagine a situation in which his or her loved one suffering from cancer has an emergency, but caregivers need to do just that. Have someone you can count on nearby to check on your friend or family member if you suddenly cannot reach the cancer patient. Introduce yourself to your loved one's next-door neighbor or meet a close friend who lives nearby that you can contact should your friend or family member prove difficult to reach.

* Make a list of medications and update it regularly. Cancer patients often take certain medications as part of their treatment and recovery, and caregivers should make a list of these medications, periodically updating the list as the treatment and recovery process progresses.

* Make sure your loved one has a cell phone. Though it might seem hard to believe, some people, especially the elderly, still do not have cellular phones. When serving as a long-distance caregiver, it's imperative that you can easily and routinely reach your cancer-stricken friend or relative. Cancer treatment might make it difficult for him or her to get to a land line, so be sure he or she has a cell phone that he or she can carry with them at all times. Program important numbers, including your own number, as well as his or her-

physician's and a neighbor's or nearby relative's number, into the phone.

* Stay in touch with the patient's physician. While a

physician might not be able to share all the details of your loved one's condition, you can keep in touch with him or her to stay abreast of how the treatment and recovery

process is going. A physician can help you tailor your caregiving to best manage the patient's needs, adjusting that plan as the treatment and recovery process evolves.

Is heavy tea consumption linked to prostate cancer?

After water, tea is the second most popular beverage in the world. However, new evidence suggests that men who tend to be prolific tea drinkers may be at a higher risk for developing prostate cancer than those who are not.

A Scottish study led by Dr. Kashif Shafique of the Institute of Health & Wellbeing at the University of Glasgow points out that, among the 6,016 Scottish men ages 21 to 75 who participated in the 37-year study, heavy tea drinkers, defined as those who had more than seven cups of tea a day, were at 50 percent higher risk of developing prostate cancer than men who drank less tea. Of the men who were reported to have consumed the most tea on a daily basis, 6.4 percent developed prostate cancer while the study was being conducted.

Though the study did not take into consideration a host of factors, including family history or any additional dietary choices beyond tea, coffee and alcohol intake, the doctor believes heavy tea drinking can increase prostate cancer risk. But Dr. Shafique indicates that he doesn't know whether the tea itself is a risk factor or it is simply that people who drink tea, which is high in antioxidants, are more likely to live longer lives. That's an important distinction, as a man's risk of developing prostate cancer increases dramatically as he ages.

The study does not show a direct link between tea consumption and prostate cancer, so it is not wise for individuals to quit their tea habits - par-

ticularly because tea has so many potentially positive side effects. Previous studies have shown that drinking tea may help reduce cholesterol levels and even help fight cancer. But the study does suggest that perhaps moderate tea

consumption is best.

Until more information is discovered about tea's connection to prostate cancer, men can continue to enjoy their favorite varieties, but it might be prudent to err on the side of moderation.

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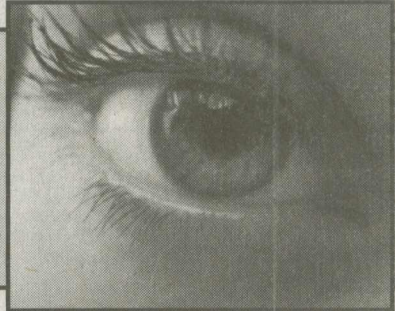
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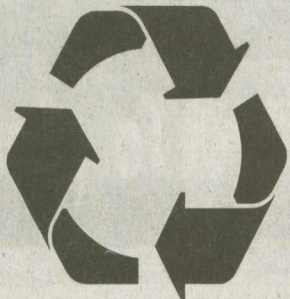
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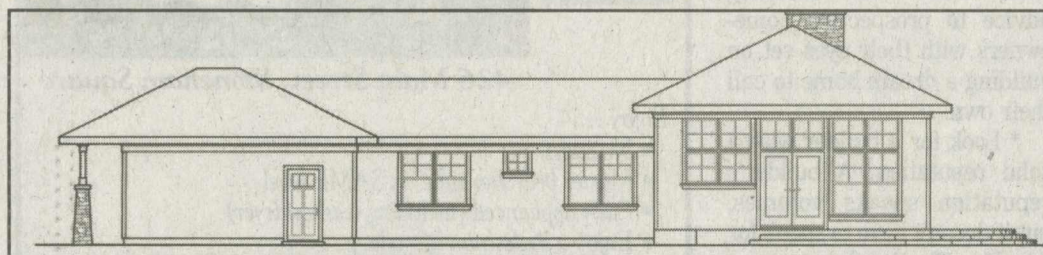
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wooden corbels, and Craftsman-style windows on all sides.

The use of natural materials extends throughout. Examples include handsome exposed drop beams in the great room and owners' suite, and wooden posts set on tapered stone veneer bases that flank the entry hall.

An expansive great room sits at the heart of the home. A kitchen fills one side, across a curved and raised eating bar. On the other inner wall, a stone veneer fireplace nestles between a home entertainment center and a stack of shelves. Sparkling glass fills somewhere between 80 and 90 percent of the two exterior walls. Craftsman windows flank atrium doors that access the patio, and each window set is crowned by a row of multipaned windows. This is a bright living area indeed!

Windowed hallways lead off to the right and left of the entry hall. The right branch goes to two secondary bedrooms, a bathroom, and a pass-through utility room linked to the two-car garage. The left hallway channels you into the Heartview's sumptuous owners' suite.

Drop beams create an interesting grid over the sleeping area, and a cushy window seat would fit nicely into the room's rectangular window bay. Other luxury touches include a deep walk-in closet and a two-section bathroom with a spa tub and double vanity. The toilet and shower are separately enclosed for privacy and steam containment.

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8 NORTH ST was sold to Winwin Props LLC by Charles E. Dillon for \$160,000

12 NUTTER RD was sold to Victoria E. Flett by Charles V. & Sue E. Oblom for \$500,000

1 RAILROAD AVE was sold to Richard Cresta by John F. Edmonson Est & David R. Lucas for \$110,000

-READING-

36 CHUTE ST was sold to Brian & Seema Lynch by Susan DiGiovanni for \$695,250

58 FEDERAL ST was sold to Theresa C. Lepore by Peter B. & Abby R. Crocker for \$340,000

708 GAZEBO CIR #708 was sold to Leo T. Hui by James E. & Jeannette A. Knowles for \$302,500

117 LIBBY AVE was sold to Wing T. Wu & Kit F. Tsang by Marc P. & Larisa Patacchiola for \$325,000

213 LOWELL ST was sold to Meghan A. Coughlin by Connors FT & Margaret E. Connors for \$255,500

147 MAIN ST was sold to Erin E. Brogan by Christopher M. & Heather M. Wicken for \$289,000

86 MIDDLESEX AVE was sold Mark J. Sullivan by Maylynn & Toufic G. Atallah for \$545,000

16 PURITAN RD was sold to Donald & Stacey Skinkus by Edward C. & Jennifer K. Currant for \$465,000

14 SAILOR TOMS WAY was sold to Bryan D. Lewis by Magee Constr Co Inc for \$719,900

249 SALEM ST #7 was sold to Richard J. & Jeannette M. Palermo by Mildred Breczko & Patricia Takach for \$320,000

35 TAMARACK RD was sold to Lisa & Stephen G. Gallo by Ruth D. Beckett T & Ruth D. Beckett for \$459,000

56 WAKEFIELD ST was sold to Todd R. & Jennifer L. Saggese by Anita M. Sybertz for \$437,500

14 WILSON ST was sold to Pino P. & Rachel C. Dorazio by Paul A. & Beverly M. Nigro for \$437,500

73 WOBURN ST #73 was sold to Lynne Scouten & Deborah DeCologero by HSBC Bank USA NA for \$210,000

-STONEHAM-

20 BELLEVUE RD was sold to Timothy Oskin & Margaret Delaney by Stanley M. Goldin & Lyndsay Richmond-goldin for \$425,500

34 BROADWAY was sold to Pasquale Nozzo & Michelle Nuzzo by Richard G. Carlson for \$515,000

50 BROADWAY was sold to John & Jenny Gavin by William J. & Stacey B. O'Connell for \$425,000

40 CURVE RD was sold to Witold A. Witkowski & Rosemary S. Turingan by H. D. & Jill S. McFadden for \$450,000

76 ELM ST was sold to Paul M. & Jamie Canney by David J. & Susan L. Tropeano for \$310,000

3 EVANS RD was sold to David A. & Lisa M. Moore by Mario & Linda M. Desantis for \$384,900

104 FRANKLIN ST was sold to Christopher D. Waldron & Dayani W. DaSilva by Glenn R. & Elizabeth N. Harris for \$260,000

157 FRANKLIN ST #A9 was sold to Linda Kossin by Daniel F.

Buckley & Kathryn Aldham-buckley for \$89,000
11 GIRARD RD was sold to 57 Lexington St RT & Richard P. Murray by 11 Girard Road RT & Deborah McClellan for \$190,000

54 GOVERNOR RD was sold to Brian Lavers by James & Danielle Capiello for \$190,000

77 HIGH ST was sold to Neil R. & Jennifer A. Simard by Kevin M. & Jill E. Scully for \$380,000

144 MARBLE ST #508 was sold to Timothy S. Halpin by Michael J. Bonacorso for \$285,000

3 OGRADY CIR was sold to Maximillian T. Follettie & Lioudmila G. Tchitiakova by Christopher V. & Kim Tashjian for \$792,000

10 POMEWORTH ST #K was sold to Brian Colborne by Eric & Erica A. Jamieson for \$415,000

8 WHITTEMORE LN was sold to John & Jaime McCarthy by Frank & Linda Verdore for \$420,000

-TEWKSBURY-

31 10TH ST was sold to Denise Murray by Diane L. Thistle for \$297,500

65 BIRCHWOOD RD was sold to Michael F. & Renne M. Viens by Eric E. & Denise A. Murray for \$670,000

24 EUCLID RD was sold to Patrick Ouellette & Nicole M. Needham by Matthew Lynch for \$334,900

71 JUNIPER LN #71 was sold to Margaret P. Ardito by Erika M. Ardito for \$180,000

17 LAKEVIEW AVE was sold to Brian A. Wells by Gegory T. Davidson Est & Jeanette Tighe for \$265,000

913 LIVINGSTON ST #913 was sold to Nicholas J. & Karen M. Depalo by Jack & Donna Wright for \$325,000

915 LIVINGSTON ST #915 was sold to Janet Y. Owsiak by Mary F. Wilkes for \$310,000

277 MAPLE ST was sold to Mary F. Wilkes by James C. Morton for \$236,000

17 MARTIN RD was sold to Brent & Susanne Lanterman by Josef A. Szasz & Noemi A. Nagy for \$433,875

181 PATRICK RD #181 was sold to Kurt Steenbruggen by Kevin J. & Melissa Riccioli for \$197,500

140 PAULIES PL #20 was sold to Bianca M. Arruda by PHEL-JAS LLC for \$242,900

10 PINEWOOD RD was sold to Kevin C. & Deborah J. Parlee by Jeremy & Tara M. Hamond for \$260,000

1695 SHAWSHEEN ST was sold to Shawsheen Street LLC by PRAXAIR Inc for \$100,000

11 SUSAN DR was sold to Mary D. & Douglas A. Pollander by Kathryn M. Staniewicz for \$390,000

1133 WHIPPLE RD was sold to Karen M. Scelzo by Helen D. Driza for \$252,000

7 WOODCREST DR was sold to Wells Fargo Bank NA by Mary J. Campbell & Wells Fargo Bank NA for \$304,711

-WAKEFIELD-

287 ALBION ST was sold to Jonathan W. Zivan by Michael F. & Ngan Wedemeier for \$344,900

1 BORDER ST was sold to Katharine A. Miliano by Clifford E. & Donna L. Leavitt for \$220,000

4 ESSEX ST was sold to Timothy P. Lowry by

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25 ARBORWOOD DR #25 was sold to Herman F. & Janet R. Kett by Linda J. Battaglini for \$486,450
9 BRUCE ST was sold to Rafael E. Daluz & Jorgia Mitro-daluz by Pauline Guerino for \$350,000
50 CHANDLER RD was sold to Janardhana Pavaru by Tadeusz J. Swierzawski for \$430,000
3 DAVIDA RD was sold to Josiah & Betty Mok by Paul A. & Sandra L. Brescia for \$619,000
10 DOVER DR #10 was sold to Margaret S. Marcoux by Robert T. & Catherine A. Cox for \$384,000
104 DRAKE RD was sold to Russell J. & Bonnie S. Tomassian by Vasu & Sreenivas Makam for \$410,000
2 EDMERE AVE was sold to Mahammad Shahid by Sunshine RT & Daniel E. Murray for \$540,000
23 FIELDSTONE DR was sold to Gregory P. & Alison J. Serra by Marcia C. Warrino for \$392,500
3 GLEASON RD was sold to Kerrie L. Mahoney by Greg & Alison J. Serra for \$305,000
2 GRANDVIEW AVE was sold to Paul Kehrer & Kristen E. Pedersen by Russell J. & Bonnie S. Tomassian for \$415,000
23 HAMPDEN AVE was sold to Mohamed Hunedy & Meriem Azmani by USA HUD for \$280,000
2 HEATHER ST was sold to Daniel J. & Colleen M. Rabazzi by Roger P. & Barbara R. Gamache for \$500,000
4 HEATHER ST was sold to Ronald K. & Nancy T. Itzo by Daniel J. & Colleen M. Rabazzi for \$457,500
15 TREETOP CT #15 was sold to Felsa B. Satlow by Douglas & Marianne Potter for \$538,000
18 WINTER ST was sold to Kevin R. & Joseph E. Baker by Frances E. Ferreira for \$267,900

-NORTH READING-

23 BURROUGHS RD was sold to Adam R. Stocker by Dimas E. Camacho for \$260,000
249 ELM ST was sold to David Matrona & Melissa Williams by Sean M. & Kimberly McKenna for \$477,300
6 GREENBRIAR DR #307 was sold to Douglas R. Gourley by James R. Carey for \$120,000
12 LITTLE MEADOW WAY was sold to Matthew & Stephanie Lundy by JOZ Dev LLC for \$952,000
270 MAIN ST #6 was sold to Deirdre A. Kelley by Julia A. Eidukonis for \$128,000

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This Week's Sampler: Heartview

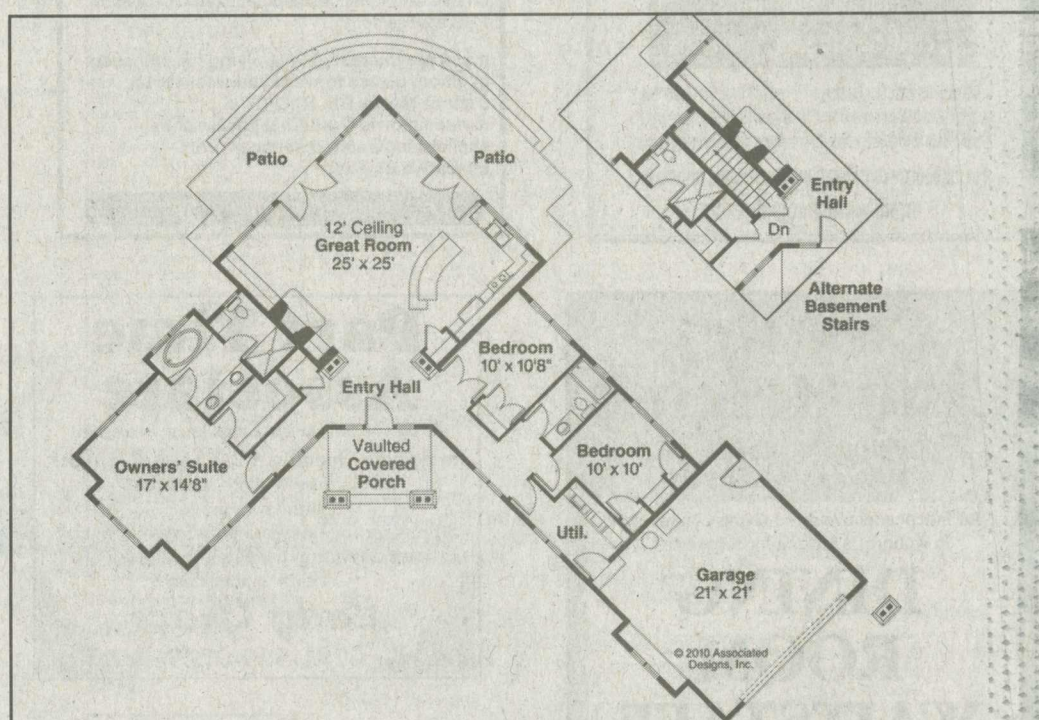
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How to choose a builder

Whether the kids have all grown up and moved out or if the kids are on the way and it's time to expand a living area, building a new home is an exciting, yet often agonizing, experience. The reasons for building a new home are many, but regardless of the reason, the process of choosing a builder should remain the same.

Andrew Nadalin, president of Pace 2000 Inc. and a fourth generation builder and craftsman, offers the following advice to prospective homeowners with their eyes set on building a dream home to call their own.

* Look for a builder with a solid reputation. A builder's reputation speaks volumes, but it doesn't have to speak for itself. That's because a builder who has spent years providing personal service, innovative design and quality workmanship will no doubt have a host of happy former customers ready and willing to offer their input. If during the interview process a builder appears reticent to share his work or experiences with previous customers, this should be a red flag. Reputable builders will be proud of their work and more than willing to show it off.

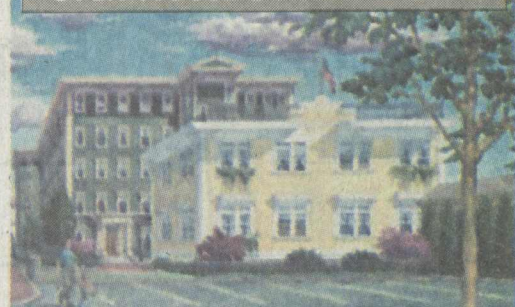
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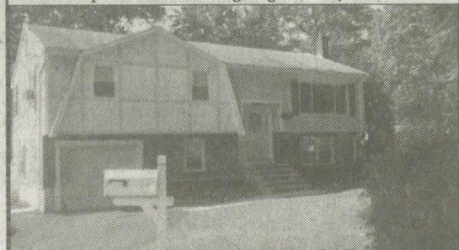
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